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Powerful Onslaughts Stretch From Roer To Rhine Rivers

Widespread Air Attacks Are Made On Japan-Korea

Tokyo Radio Says Many Super-Bombers Make Raids On Jap Homeland

MILITARY TARGETS BLASTED BY BOMBS

(International News Service)

Raids by United States Superfortress bombers on military targets in the Tokyo area and elsewhere on the Japanese home islands of Honshu and Shikoku and Jap-occupied Korea in widespread assaults were reported by radio Tokyo today.

An official Japanese imperial high command communique said some 80 big superfortresses attacked objectives in the home islands.

Superfortresses from the Marianas, flying in "small formations", raided the Tokyo vicinity and Aichi and Shizuoka prefectures on the main Japanese home island of Honshu and also the island of Shikuku, which lies east of Honshu, the communique said.

Main Attacks

The "main force" of this group of bombers, the communique continued, attacked targets in Aichi and Shizuoka prefectures. It admitted that "there was some damage on the ground" in these areas, but asserted that "no damage was suffered in the other areas."

The communique did not identfy the specific targets hit in the two prefectures but the Domei agency said bombs had been dropped "at random" over the Nagoya and Hamamatsu in Shizuoka on the east coast of Honshu southwest of Tokyo.

The raids on the Nagoya and Hamamatsu areas, according to the Domei dispatch, occurred at about

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PA NEWC Observes

Avalanches of snow sliding off roof tops have already proven a near disaster to pedestrians in East Side residential section. When the sun really beams, this heavy, melting snow will prove even more dangerous.

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Snow was so heavy that it forced some of the fire escapes on downtown buildings to swing down to the street, Pa Newc noted yesterday.

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Many autos are still marooned around the city under a foot or more of snow that caught them on Monday night.

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Pa Newc notes here and there a lot of sidewalks where no effort was made to clear the heavy snowfall.

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While school had to be dismissed yesterday due to the storm, it was noted that a lot of school children were able to get downtown and crowd adults out of the city busses during the rush hours on Tuesday afternoon.

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Wintry conditions which prevail today are in decided contrast to the weather experienced last December. Only about an inch and a half of snow was noted the entire month, while around 16 inches fell here

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Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today follow:

Maximum temperature, 31.
Minimum temperature, 22.
Precipitation 10 inches, inch of snow.
River stage, 4.1 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 37.
Minimum temperature, 11.
Precipitation, .02 inches, snow.

Japan's Third Largest City Is Found Fertile Field For Bomb Attack

By PHILIP G. REED
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

B-29 BASE, Saipan, Dec. 13.—(Via Navy Radio)—The 21st bomber command opened up a fertile new bombing field on the Japanese mainland today, sending a sizeable task force of Superfortresses against Nagoya, 165 airline miles west and slightly south of Tokyo, on the southern side of Honshu island.

Nagoya is Japan's third largest city with a 1940 population of 1,328,000 and is regarded as one of four primary targets along with Tokyo, Kobe and Osaka on the Jap mainland.

Most Inflammable

It is perhaps the most inflammable of all. Untouched by earthquake or fire for 50 years, it still is an old-fashioned city of jam-packed flimsy buildings, separated by alley-like streets, with few fire-breaking tall structures.

In 1938 the census showed 315,402 wood and plaster buildings against only 662 of brick or concrete. Additionally many small buildings in congested areas reportedly house shops and "pocket" factories in the extensive network of the Jap sub-contracting war production system.

Nagoya embraces a wealth of priority war-making targets including big aircraft plants, vital ball bearing factories, an arsenal, textile manufacturing plants, rail-hubs and electrical power networks.

Many Factories

Swollen with war industries since the 1937 China "incident" it has

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Seven More Jap Ships In Convoy Sunk By Yanks

Three Other Jap Ships Damaged And 50 Jap Planes Are Shot Down

JAP TROOP LOSSES REPORTED HEAVY

By LEE VAN ATTA
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

GEN. MacARTHUR'S HEADQUARTRS, Philippines, Dec. 13.—Sinking of seven Japanese ships in a Leyte-bound convoy and the probable sinking of three more enemy vessels was disclosed today in Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique.

MacArthur revealed that desperate Jap efforts to relieve their beleaguered Leyte garrison led to the sinking four transports and three destroyers in two days of a running battle. In addition to ships sunk, one destroyer and two transports were left dead and burning in the water and 50 Jap planes were shot down in aerial combat.

The enemy convoy was protected by heavy fighter cover and some of the supply and troop-laden ships managed to reach Palompon, Jap-held port north of Ormoc Bay.

Losses Over 30,000

No estimate of enemy personnel losses was given by MacArthur but this was the eighth Jap convoy to be smashed by alert American forces and the Jap death toll in these operations alone has gone over the 30,000 mark.

Nine of the ships in the eighth convoy were smashed by army, navy and marine corps planes while the tenth vessel, a cargo transport of 5,000 tons was sent to the bottom by a P-T boat in Palompon harbor.

The forces of Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita on Leyte are now believed to be badly pressed for supplies, beset as they are by advanc-

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E Bond Sales Must Spurt

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—With only four more days remaining in the Sixth War Loan drive, the War Finance Committee today reported that the sale of E bonds in the 19-county Fort Pitt area was still little over the half-way mark.

"It is unthinkable," declared L. H. Lund, Allegheny county WFC chairman, "that the people's bond (Series E) will not meet quota in the present campaign, when our need for ammunition and other materials of war is at its greatest.

"If we do not meet the quotas set for that issue, it means that the nation itself has failed its fighting men."

Canadians Make Advance In Italy

ROME, Dec. 13.— (INS) —Canadian troops fighting with the British Eighth army jabbed two bridgeheads across the Lamone river southwest of Faenza, allied headquarters revealed today.

Overcoming stubborn German resistance, the Canadians joined up their bridgeheads to outflank the key highway hub of Faenza where the Nazis are blocking the allied advance on Bologna from the east.

The Germans smashed at the Canadian positions with numerous determined counterattacks, but all were beaten back.

New Major Jap Target Is Hit By U.S. Bombers

Nagoya Is Prime Target Of Latest B-29 Bomber Raids On Japan

By WILLIAM E. ZIMMERMAN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—B-29 Superfortresses winging in sizeable strength from Saipan smashed at a new major Japanese industrial target today, the "tinder" city of Nagoya, just half an hour's bombing run from Tokyo on the enemy island of Honshu.

Tokyo radio, which also reported that bombs had hit distant Korea as well as the imperial palace grounds in the Jap capital, claimed that some 40 American Superforts struck the Nagoya-Hamamatsu area but the official U.S. announcements indicated that over 100 bombers carried the blow.

Confirmation Given

First confirmation that the prime target was Nagoya, third largest city in Japan and site of many war industries, came from the American base on Saipan. The INS dispatch from that point disclosed that the Twenty-first Bomber Command extended "maximum effort" in the raid.

In Washington, Gen. H. H. Arnold chief of the Army Air Forces and the Twentieth Air Force, pointedly

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Hear Sweden May Enter War

Diplomatic Circles In London Discuss Possibility Of Move To Aid Norway

By KINGSBURY SMITH
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Dec. 13.—There is a good deal of talk in diplomatic circles in London today about the possibility of Sweden entering the war on the Allied side to help save Norway from destruction by the Germans.

In their retreat through northern Norway, the Germans are known to be devastating the country to an appalling extent.

Two hundred and fifty thousand Norwegians living in northern Norway have been ordered to evacuate to the south. Reports reaching London via Stockholm state that the Germans are burning all the houses, barns and farmlands, and those Norwegians who attempt to evade the evacuation order are being ruthlessly exterminated.

The British press has been reminding the Swedes of their close kinship with the Norwegians, and warning them that if the Germans

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Snow Or Rain, Weather Outlook

(Extended weather forecase December 13 through December 17 issued by the U.S. Weather Bureau at Harrisburg.)

(Distributed by International News Service)

Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio—Snow flurries Wednesday and general rain or snow Saturday or Sunday. Temperatures below normal Wednesday but rising to normal Sunday.

Gales And Heavy Snow Sweeping Most Of Nation

Storm Death Toll In Country Is Around 100 Reports Indicate Today

DEEP SOUTH FEELS EFFECTS OF STORM

(International News Service)

The gales and heavy snow sweeping most of the nation since last Sunday settled down today to normal early winter weather, but left in their wake a death toll approaching the 100 mark and a record of seriously interrupted traffic in the air and on the ground.

Twelve deaths from the snowstorm were reported in western Pennsylvania alone, and 11 in Michigan.

Twelve more storm deaths were reported from Ohio where additional snow was predicted for the northern part of the state, along with strong winds. Traffic was at a virtual standstill throughout Ohio and western Pennsylvania and two of Ohio's largest munitions plants were closed down, one of them the Plum Brook Ordnance plant near Sandusky.

Storm Hits Canada

The severity of the storm also hit into Canada where drifts were piled high by the gales. A dozen deaths in Toronto were attributed to heart attacks induced by over-exertion in the deep snow.

The storm from its beginning ranged from Colorado to the eastern seaboard and, in much milder form, down into the deep south.

Frigid temperatures still held on

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Blizzard Death Toll Increases

Twelve Reported Dead In Path Of Storm In Western Pennsylvania

DISTRICT SEEKS TO REGAIN NORMALCY

(International News Service)

The death toll continued to mount steadily today as Pennsylvania and the nation struggled to break the paralyzing grip of a bitter blizzard which dumped up to 23 inches of snow on some localities, disrupted traffic, forced schools to close and put a serious crimp in war production.

In western Pennsylvania, apparently worst hit by the storm, the death toll this morning was counted at 12, while just across the border in eastern Ohio, at least four persons were known dead from overexertion and accidents.

Sub-freezing temperatures and strong winds, plus added snow flurries, made the task of digging out and putting transportation systems back into shape extremely difficult.

Mercury Lower

In the Pittsburgh district, the mercury sank into the low 20's, while a 34-mile-an-hour wind whipped at workers attempting to clear the roads and railroad and trolley tracks. Bus schedules were still topsy-turvy and in some places there simply was no attempt made to keep lines going.

Downtown Pittsburgh late yesterday was virtually deserted as large department stores and corporation offices closed between 3 and 4 p. m. to give their employes a chance to

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German Armament Center Blasted

Ruhr City Of Essen Plastered Again By RAF; Rail City Also Bombed

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The German armaments center of Essen in the Ruhr was blasted heavily during the night by a strong force of big British Lancaster and Halifax bombers, the air ministry announced today.

Block-buster laden Mosquitos simultaneously bombed the Reich rail city of Osnabruck.

In England, several Nazi flying bombs were brought down over the east coast during the night by coastal anti-aircraft batteries and some others were shot down by night fighter planes.

Freed 21 U. S. Fliers



Twenty-one American combat fliers owe their freedom to Mme. Drue Leyton Tartiere, better known as actress Dorothy Leyton before the war. She faced the imminent danger of a German firing squad for close to three years in underground France so that the fliers might be freed. She ran the risk to avenge the death of her husband, Jacques Tartiere, a French army officer killed by the Nazis while negotiating the surrender of troops at Damascus in '41. (International)

Tons Of Flaming Steel Are Dropped Upon Budapest

Germans Fight Desperate Delaying Battle In Hungarian Capital

REPORT PANIC IN CITY INCREASING

By NATALIA RENE
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Dec. 13.—Soviet warplanes and artillery dropped tons of flaming steel into the heart of Budapest today as the Germans apparently abandoning all hope of saving the capital from the Russians who surround two-thirds of the city, fought a desperate delaying action to regroup their Vienna defenses.

Desperate Fighting

Moscow sources and even Berlin told of desperate street fighting in the suburbs of the city as the Soviet communique disclosed that the Second Ukrainian Army had driven the Germans and Hungarians out of Godollo, 11½ miles northeast of Budapest.

The fall of Godollo leveled the last Nazi strongpoint between the

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Ellwood City Girl Is Killed

Accidentally Electrocuted In Bathroom Of Her Home Tuesday Evening

(Special To The News)

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 13.—Loretta Mae Melzer, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Melzer, of 1101 Wayne avenue, Ellwood City, was accidentally electrocuted Tuesday evening in her home, while taking a bath, about 8:30 o'clock.

According to the report received the young girl was attempting to adjust a small radio nearby, trying to replug the radio connection into the electric outlet, and was instantly electrocuted. Her father and sister investigated upon hearing

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STATE REPORT ON E BOND SALES

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—(INS)—A $3,781,231 increase in series E bond sales through Monday raised the total in this category of the Sixth War Loan drive to $100,774,698 or 56 percent of the $180,000,000 quota, G. Ruhland Rebmann, Jr., chairman of the Pennsylvania war finance committee, announced today.

Total sales to individuals rose $7,034,317 for a new total of $260,487,190 or 70 percent of the $370,000,000 goal.

Sales to corporations reached $653,700,000 or 115 percent of their $568,000,000 goal.

Third Army Battle For Saar Valley Is Drawing Spotlight

By MAJOR PAUL C. RABORG
(Written Especially For International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Gen. George S. Patton's 3rd Army drew the spotlight of attention on the western front during the past week with its assault on the Saar valley. This week it begins to look like a repeat performance.

The Saar valley is about 740 miles square. It is a key Nazi industrial area. Only of greater importance is the Ruhr. At one time, the Saar produced almost two million tons of steel, pig iron was manufactured in practically an equal amount and close to 14 million tons of coal, were taken out of the ground per year.

The Saar area lies along and adjoins the French border. There was insufficient space to construct the great fortifications of the Siegfried line. Because of that fact, German engineers built two lines. One is placed in front of the Saar, and the other behind it. The ends join to the east and to the west of the Saar. Furthermore, complex defenses have been constructed through the entire area.

Heavily Fortified

In the approaches to the Saar, the roads are lined with machine-gun nests and pillboxes. On all of

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County Cleaning Up After Storm

Order Being Restored As Fast As Possible By City And State Authorities—City Schools Resume

City street forces and state highway road crews were still working heroically today to restore order to chaos, folowing Monday and Tuesday's unprecedented snow, which blanketed the district under a 16-inch fall.

State highway crews are clearing the principal roads on the system in the county, but found that brisk winds last night undid some of their work, drifting roads which had previously been cleared.

Rural Carriers Out

Rural mail carriers started out this morning to try and cover their routes, but will only cover the highways which are cleared, Postmaster William R. Hanna stated today. They will not attempt to go onto side roads or roads which have become drifted, he stated.

City schols resumed their sessions today, but virtually all of the county schools are still closed. Some will open tomorrow, unless more snow falls to fill main highways which have been cleared.

Buses Packed

Most folks in the city cooperated with their neighbors in clearing off their walks, so that pedestrians would not be inconvenienced. City buses were crowded beyond capacity on almost all lines due to the fact that many car owners, still owning vehicles which will run, were unable to get out with their cars.

Auto accessory stores reported a tremendous demand for chains, which they filled as long as the supply lasted.

COUNTY SCHOOLS CLOSED YET TODAY

County Superintendent Syling Unable To State When Schools Will Be Able To Resume

With country roads really worse today than they were yesterday, county schools remained closed again today, and County Superintendent Syling could give no assurance that they would be able to resume before next week, due to conditions.

Additional snow, with heavy winds caused drifts which made many roads absolutely impassable, and if the cold weather continues, they will have to be dug out.

As far as can be learned, only the school at Edenburg had sessions Tuesday. Some of the schools, which are dependent almost entirely on busses to transport the pupils will not be able to start until a later date than some of the others. All, however, were down today.

DEATH RECORD

Wednesday, December 13, 1944

Mrs. Florence Dale, Bellevue.

Loretta Mae Melzer, 13, 1101 Wayne avenue, Ellwood City.

Jesse F. Boak, 52, 204 North Ray street.

Vincent Bruno, 52, Butler road, R. D. 6.

Albert Kumer, Chewton.

Diets—Dies



Laird Cregar, 28, massive motion picture character actor, died as a result of a heart attack following an abdominal operation after he had dieted away 100 of his 300 pounds. (International)

Sixth Loan Drive Nearing Top In Lawrence Co.

Lawrence County is almost over the top in its quest for $6,050,000 worth of Sixth War Loan bonds it was announced today in the office of the Greater New Castle Association.

A report from the Federal Reserve Bank shows Lawrence County to have purchased 65 per cent of its "E" bond quota, and to be 95 per cent of quota in the over all quota.

A detailed statement of the bond campaign here will be made within a day or two.

Report Greek Rebels Break Into British Barracks In Athens

LONDON, Dec. 13.— (INS) —A Reuter's report from Athens today said the left-wing rebel Elas troops had broken into the British barracks in the capital and that fighting was raging inside the building.

Heavy fighting also was encountered throughout the capital all during the night with the Elas forces shelling the central area of Athens.

REPORT FIERCE TANK BATTLE

LONDON, Dec. 13.— (INS) —A fierce tank battle was reported by the German DNB agency to be raging today near the Alsatian town of Woerth, 32 miles southeast of Sarreguemines.

The Nazi agency admitted that the Germans yielded ground in the face of a strong frontal assault by five American regiments supported by 120 tanks between Sarreguemines and Bitche.

New Mystery Over German Territory

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, Paris, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Something having the appearance of "glass or silver balls" has been seen over German territory, a spokesman at headquarters revealed today.

The balls have been observed individually and in clusters.

Headquarters forbade any speculation on the phenomenon.

Dawn Surprise Attack Is Made By First Army

Surprising Flash Flood Condition Develops On Roer During Night

CONDITION FAILS TO HALT YANKS

By THURSTON MacAULEY
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Hard-pressed German forces today fought bitter, almost suicidal delaying actions in the face of powerful American onslaughts that stretched from the Roer to the Rhine rivers.

In a dawn surprise attack, the American First Army under command of Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges drove nearly a mile eastward from the Monschau line south of Duren.

Other First Army units slugged against the vital Roer bastion from directly east, fighting through fast-falling flood waters in the town of Mariaweiler.

River Rises Suddenly

Mariaweiler, two miles west of Duren, was overrun by a surprising and puzzling rise of the Roer river during the night. The sudden flood receded almost as rapidly as it came, and battle front dispatches said the swirling water entirely failed to hamper progress of General Hodges' infantrymen.

Front line reports received late this morning indicated, however that the Nazis in Mariaweiler, as elsewhere along the Roer, are staging a bitter delaying action on the river's west bank.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters reported a new First Army attack south of the Hurgen forest at 6 a. m. which carried the Americans into Rollesbroich, a mile and a half east of Lammersdorf.

All resistance ceased in the Meta area with surrender of the city's last remaining garrison—"Fort Jeanne D'Arc.

Drive Toward Rhine

Farther south, the American Seventh Army drove toward the Rhine and the vital Reich industrial city of Karlsruhe which sprawled only 15 miles ahead of Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's troops.

Germans on the Rhine fought as stubbornly as their brethren on the Roer, however, and reports from General Patch's headquarters disclosed that elements of two Nazi

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Ambassador To Spain Is Named

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—President Roosevelt today nominated Norman Armour to be ambassador to Spain, in a new three-way shift of diplomatic posts also involving Czechoslovakia and Costa Rica.

Armour was American ambassador to Argentina before being recalled last June as a gesture of disapproval of the Farrell regime in Buenos Aires. Since that time, he has served as director of the state department's office of American republic affairs.

His appointment as ambassador to Madrid is part of the reshuffle in the state department, which brings in Nelson A. Rockefeller as assistant secretary of state in charge of Latin American affairs.

Arthur Mometer



The kids were asking for winter, well they got what they wanted, b'dad, snow fights, and sledding and sliding for each little lassie and lad. And while they were out in the weather, and soaking their shoes and their socks, the old man was out with a shovel, clearing a path on the walks. His fun came along with a shovel, and he wished he was out cutting hay, or mowing a lawn in the summer, it's thirty-five, still cool today.

To Send 1,375 Yanks Home From Front

By JOSEPH WILLICOMBE JR.
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, Dec. 13.—American military authorities had little difficulty in picking the 1,375 happiest Yanks in the U. S. First, Third and Ninth armies on the Western Front for a trip to the states with a full 30-day furlough after they reach home.

Every one of them has served in combat for six months or longer, most of them wear the Purple Heart for one or more wounds in action and the others carry decorations for distinguished service.

At least 820 of the lucky men have reached Paris where they alternated sight-seeing forays around the French capital with anxious glances at the bulletin board for any hints about when they might get under way for home.

One member of this starry-eyed, jubilant crew is S-Sgt. Verne King of Ashboro, N. C., who has been overseas with the First Army for 26 months and wounded three times, getting his Purple Heart in Normandy and adding two clusters at Montaigne and Eschweiler.

Will Get Married

"I can't believe I'm going home," he said, "but I'm not questioning my luck. What am I going to do when I get home? Get married!"

Another who just couldn't believe his luck was T-Sgt. Cal. W. Niestadt of San Antonio, Tex., who said:

"This is one of the things you read about but seldom see.

"The Silver Star? I got that in Africa for carrying a message under fire and they gave me the cluster for carrying maps at St. Mereglise where I got wounded. I don't know why they gave me the bronze star."

Sgt. David S. Williams of Chicago, who has been overseas for 24 months, was another who didn't believe his good fortune.

"They had to tell me about it six times before I believed it," he declared. "As a matter of fact I don't believe it yet and I won't until I see the Statue of Liberty."

Greek Left Wing Attacks Repulsed

ATHENS, Dec. 13.—(INS)—British and Greek loyalist troops hurled back two dawn attacks by left wing ELAS forces today, but Lieut. Gen. Ronald Scobie could report only "little change in the general situation" as rebel units continued on the march to overthrow Greece's provisional government.

The dawn assaults, according to the general's communique, were directed against British troops in the central sector of the city.

Both the rebel attacks "were held". General Scobie announced, adding that new British reinforcements arrived during the night and "were in action early this morning."

STORM HALTS COURT

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 13.—Mercer county criminal court was postponed Tuesday for the first time in its history on account of weather conditions. Two cases will be resumed today, according to District Attorney Edwin C. Moon.



BLIZZARD DEATH TOLL INCREASES

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get home. About 40 to 50 per cent absenteeism was reported among employes at the U. S. army engineers corps in Pittsburgh.

Many Drifts

In the district's war plants, thousands of men and women worked double shifts to keep production lines going despite great absenteeism.

But perhaps hardest hit was the western Pennsylvania bituminous coal field, where 24 mines were forced to halt operations and production at others was seriously curtailed. It was estimated by the Solid Fuels Administration that the storm yesterday alone cost 78,000 tons.

As the gales swept on through the central and eastern part of Pennsylvania they apparently became less severe.

In the eastern part of the state very light snows were reported, with the mercury bobbing up and down around the freezing point and winds reported at about 20 miles per hour. A similar situation prevailed in the central part of the state, with the exception that the snowfall was heavier.

ELLWOOD CITY GIRL IS KILLED

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an unusual sound emanating from the bathroom. The door was forced open and the young girl was found dead in the bathtub.

Resuscitation Efforts Fail

The rescue squad from the Ellwood City fire department was called and worked with the girl for two hours to which the efforts proved of no avail.

Loretta was born on March 12, 1931, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Melzer. She was an eighth grade student in the Ellwood City public school.

In addition to her parents, she leaves two brothers and sisters: Staff Sgt. Robert C. Melzer, in England; James, Gladys and Dorothy at home.

Funeral services will be from the Ellwood City Lutheran church, Spring avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. F. H. Daubenspeck in charge. Interment will be in Locust Grove cemetery.

The body is at the J. I. Porter funeral home, Fifth street, Ellwood City, where friends may call tonight 7 to 9 o'clock, and Thursday, 2 to 4, and 7 to 9 o'clock.

SCRANTON MAN INJURED

COLUMBUS, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Patrick S. Reiley, of Scranton, Pa., was reported in critical condition in Columbus hospital today from injuries sustained when he fell down a flight of stairs at the Union Railroad station in Columbus.

Deaths of the Day

Mrs. Florence Dale

Mrs. Florence Dale of Bellevue died this morning at 5:05 o'clock at the Bellevue Suburban hospital. Mrs. Dale, a former resident of 40 North Mill street, this city, became ill Sunday.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Alice Morgan of 910 Adams street, this city, and Mrs. Betty Craven of Bellevue.

The body will be brought sometime today to the Howard L. Reynolds funeral home, Adams street.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Albert Kumer

Albert Kumer, of Chewton, died this morning at 2:40 oclock in the Ellwood City hospital. Mr. Kumer was found unconscious Tuesday at 6 p. m. by his neighbors, when investigating his absence of a few days. He had been ill for some time.

The body is at the Marshall funeral home, Wampum. Funeral arrangements will be announced.

Vincent Bruno

Vincent Bruno, aged 52 years, of Butler road, R. D. 6, died suddenly this morning from a heart attack while getting ready to leave for work.

He was born in Italy April 17, 1892. He was married for 29 years to Mary Farone Bruno, who survives. The deceased was employed at the Johnson Bronze company and was a member of St. Vitus church.

He leaves his wife and six children: Angeline, Delores and Vincent, Jr., at home; Pfc. Philip Bruno, A. A. C., India; Edward, Oakland navy yard, San Francisco, Calif., and Pvt. Rudolph Bruno, Camp Croft, S. C., and a grandson, Philip Bruno, Jr., and his mother, Mrs. Angeline Bruno in Italy.

Preceding him in death was a son, Raymond, three years ago.

The body will be taken from the Howard L. Reynolds funeral home, Adams street, to the residence late today. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of his sons in the service.

Jesse F. Boak

Jesse F. Boak, aged 52 years, of 204 North Ray street, died this morning at 7:50 oclock at his home following a lingering illness of a year's duration.

Mr. Boak, son of the late William S. Boak and Anna Viola Book Boak, was born June 6, 1892, in Lawrence county, where he spent his life. He was well-known, having been a rural mail carrier for 20 years. He was married to Lela E. Dean Boak and was a member of Herman Presbyterian church.

He was a member of the New Castle Consistory, Mahoning Lodge, F. A. M. 243, American Legion, Perry S. Gaston Post No. 343, Consistory Legion of Honor and B. P. O. E.

Mr. Boak entered the army, August 22, 1918, and was honorably discharged from service March 26, 1919. He was a corporal in the 468th Engineers and spent six months overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces.

Survivors in addition to his wife include one son, Donald Boak, at home; one brother, J. Edward Boak and one sister, Effie J. Boak, both of New Castle, R. D. 4.

A sister, Mrs. Bessie Dean, preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at two o'clock from the R. L. Boyd funeral home, North Jefferson street, with Rev. V. A. Shreiber, assisted by Rev. Oliver Hurst, officating.

The body will be taken to the residence, 204 North Ray street, this evening and will be returned Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock to the funeral home, where friends may call Friday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock and Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Atkinson Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Angie Sickafuse Atkinson, wife of George W. Atkinson of R. D. 1, Pulaski, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the R. L. Boyd funeral home, North Jefferson street, with Dr. Burr R. McKnight of the First Methodist church officiating.

Mrs. Atkinson taught school in New Bedford for a number of years before being taken ill.

The body was placed in the mausoleum at Oak Park cemetery. Interment will be made later in the week in Evergreen cemetery, New Bedford.

Mrs. Paden Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Alla (Dora) E. Paden of New York City were conducted Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Westfield Presbyterian church, with Rev. William Allman officiating.

Mrs. Paden, widow of Alonzo Paden, had been making her home with a brother in New York, where she died Friday. She was a resident of Mt. Jackson for many years.

Riley and Gordon Paden, W. M. Stover, Lee Olson, Frank Glass and James Dutten acted as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Hillsville Methodist cemetery.

Change of Funeral

Due to the poor condition of the roads, the funeral of Miss Susan Wilkinson of Wampum will be postponed again until Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Interment will be in Wilson cemetery, New Galilee.

Jordana Funeral

Funeral services for Victor Jordana of 15 Borough Line street were conducted Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock from the Mahoning funeral home, West Madison avenue, with Dr. D. L. Ferguson of Highland U. P. church officiating.

Dan Yurdana, Mike Zatkovich, Frank Spencic, Louis Grgurina, Matt Doricich and Louis Cikovich acted as pallbearers.

Dr. Ferguson conducted the committal service at the grave. The lodge service of the Croatian Fraternal Union was conducted by the president, Matt Fabayanich and Frank Dominich.

Interment took place in the Yugoslovakia cemetery, Bessemer.

Melozzi Funeral.

High mass of requiem for Lidino (Lee) Melozzi, of 118 South Cedar street, was offered Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, in St. Lucy's church, Rev. Fr. Sebastian Ippolito officiating.

Pallbearers were: John Russo, Leonard Santillo, Marion Quahliero, Carl Matteo, John Santillo and Tony Diano.

Interment was in St. Lucy's cemetery, with Father Ippolito conducting the commital service.

British Move Reinforcements Into Greece

ATHENS, Dec. 13.—(INS)—British military authorities in Greece, determined to bring an early halt to civil hostilities, moved reinforcements into position in the Athens area today as negotiations for a cessation of fighting were continued with the left wing Elas forces.

British reinforcements landed at the port of Piraeus were brought up after Elas militiamen had been reported gaining ground in the Greek capital.

The critical situation brought Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, allied Mediterranean commander, and Harold MacMillan, British minister to allied headquarters, to Athens to confer with the British military commander in Greece, Maj. Gen. Ronald Scobie.

Crews Still Work To Open Highways

Efforts to open the snow-clogged roads of the county to normal traffic are being continued by the full force of the State Higway department today.

In many place the snow had become packed so that it must be cindered instead of cleared, but it is possible to travel over most of the main routes in the county.

Several much-traveled secondary roads, however, are still closed, according to reports, and driving is still not too easy anywhere. Little-traveled roads are almost all impassable.

SEEK GREEK ARMISTICE

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—By 2,445,000 votes to 137,000, the British Labor party conference today approved a resolution calling on the government to take step to facilitate an armistic in Greece without deday.

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THIRD ARMY BATTLE FOR SAAR VALLEY IS DRAWING SPOTLIGHT

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the hills overlooking the roads and river crossings large emplacements have been built for German big guns.

Those outlying defenses have caused great trouble to the men of Gen. Patton's army. In practically every case, it has been necessary to reduce them by flame throwers and intense artillery fire.

The 3rd Army is faced with the problem of breaking through the two main defense lines, or flanking them. Because of the great industrial importance of the Saar valley, the Nazi defense of their main fortifications will almost of a certainty be fanatical.

Fanatical Defense

We must acknowledge that the Germans are Defending their inner fortress fanatically and that as yet our gains have not been great nor has there been any uncontrolled break through. However, at least nine American divisions of the 3rd Army have been striking on a 16-mile front against the Saar area and have made no less than eight river crossings.

Gen. Eisenhower's strategy has been such to date that the Nazis have been unable to determine when or where his major offensive will take place. So far there has been absolutely no indication as to whether that would happen in the northern, central, or southern portion of the European western front.

Of one thing we may be certain—and that is until the war lords of Germany and their armed forces collapse—we will see continuing desperate fighting along the entire European western front.

GALES AND HEAVY SNOW SWEEPING MOST OF NATION

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in the south where early today a low of 27 degrees was reported from Tallahassee, Fla., and 32 from Jacksonville, Fla.

Western Pennsylvania, where traffic was disrupted earlier by the heavy snowfall, in places up to 23 inches deep, was greeted today by light snow flurries and temperatures in the low 20's. The wind velocity was 34 miles an hour. A light snow fell in the eastern part of the state where the wind was in the 20's.

Big Snow In New York

New York City's streets were clean after yesterday's snow flurries, but in upstate cities, as in Syracuse and Rochester and in Buffalo, from 12 to 14 inches of snow lay on the ground. At the worst of the storm war plants temporarily were closed in Buffalo and in Rochester the telephone service was hampered by the inability of many of the operators to get to work.

The New England States were swept by strong westerly winds and storm warning were posted off the coast.

SEVEN MORE JAP SHIPS IN CONVOY SUNK BY YANKS

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ing American columns which have already taken from the enemy leader his main supply base at the port of Ormoc.

Troop Losses Heavy

The communique reported that enemy troop losses were believed to be heavy but the number was not estimated.

MacArthur also revealed that American shipping was under attack, sustaining "some damage and casualties." The American ships, in a convoy, returning to another base after bringing sorely needed supplies to 77th infantrymen who seized Ormoc town Sunday after landing behind Jap lines, were set upon presumably by enemy aerial forces.

Meanwhile, ground action on Leyte was hampered by continuing rains and the Americans were organizing their newly-won bases in the Ormoc sector for further operations, the communique said.

Continued raids over the Philippines and southwest Pacific by American aerial units were reported in the communique.

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in a little more than 24 hours. However, we had some real wintry weather last year. Falling temperatures during the corresponding week last year resulted in a low mark of four below zero on the morning of December 15, and just one above the next day.

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Pa News noted this morning, that a lot of automobiles, which were left stranded along streets, when their owners were unable to get them out of their snowbound spots yesterday, are still there. Evidently the owners are waiting for Mother Nature to stage a thaw, and release them. This doesnt look likely for several days yet, however.

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A well known milkman whose route takes him in the East Side vicinity, noticed a member of the squirrel family proudly sitting on a porch in Chestnut street, eating at a portion of a loaf of dried bread almost the size of itself. The little animal seemingly was enjoying its early breakfast and undisturbed by passing traffic.

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Stanley Lechwar of New Castle, R. D. 1, was successful in bagging an eight point buck in Forrest County on Monday morning. Included in the hunting party were Joseph and Steve Urbank of Wampum, R. D. 1, and Joseph Sniezek, New Castle, R. D. 1.

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Apparently the storm was too much for the clock atop the church on the public square. The hands pointed to ten minute to two at noon today.

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Heavy Snow Ends Deer Hunting In Warren District

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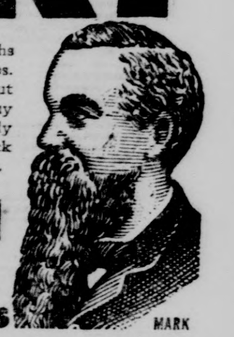
Deer hunting, with this heavy fall of snow, is at an end as the deer have gone far back into the hemlocks and are lying down. Some of the camps have telephone connections and word from them is that the snow is extremely heavy in the woods.

Not since 1936, when the two-foot fall on St. Patrick's Day buried the county under heavy snow, has Warren county been so thoroughly snowed in as today. Bus service between Warren and Erie and Warand Pittsburgh was at a standstill.

JAPS SAYS ISLAND OCCUPIED

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The Tokyo radio today said that a Japanese force had "completely occupied" Ponson Island in the Camotes sea west of Leyte in the Philippines last Friday and "frustrated the enemy plan to use that island as a base for his torpedo boats."

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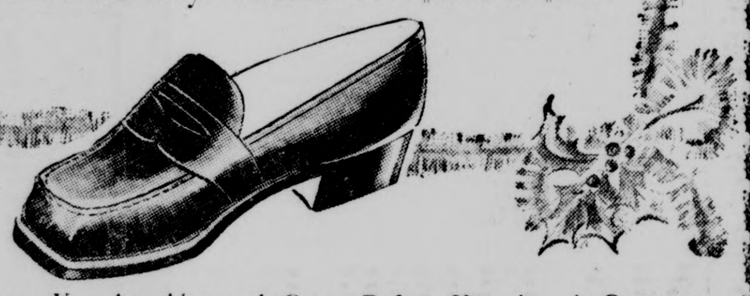
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Society AND Clubs

LADIES OF LIONS YULE PROGRAM-TEA

Ladies of the Lions club were entertained in the home of Mrs. S. Glenn McCracken, 121 Clenmore boulevard, Tuesday evening for a Yuletide tea.

The program was presented in charge of Mrs. Ward Whittaker. The "Christmas Story" in poetry and music was beautifully told by Mrs. A. R. Borland, reader, with Miss Anna Mann, a guest of the club, Mrs. H. W. Helmick and Mrs. Burr Rogers, vocalists. Piano accompaniment was played by Mrs. S. Glenn McCracken.

The usual Yuletide features followed for the membership, with tea and dainty refreshments being served. Pouring was Mrs. A. Pearson Furst, president, with Mrs. John B. Loudon, Mrs. P. G. Dingledy and Mrs. William Cobau aiding.

January 9 the club will gather at The Castleton for an evening of bridge.

Victory Ten Club

Victory Ten club members gathered in the home of Mrs. Mary Nicholson, East street, on Monday evening for an informal social time. For contests, Mrs. Ella Stearn, Mrs. James Hogue and Mrs. Mary Nicholson received honor trophies. The latter also carried off the victory prize, while Mrs. Evelyn Welsh won the door award and Mrs. Bertha Booher, the special token.

A delectable repast was served at the close by the hostess with her daughter aiding.

Members will meet for a Yuletide party on December 29 in the home of Mrs. Mary Peterson, Neshannock avenue.

W. C. B. Postponement

Scheduled for this evening, the Christmas meeting of the W. C. B. class of the Wesley church has been postponed until Tuesday evening, December 19, when a combination party and meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. R. Bacon, Cecil avenue.

QUEEN ESTHER CLASS HAS YULETIDE PARTY

Queen Esther Class members of the Third U. P. church joined Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. William McBride, Warren avenue, for their annual Christmas party. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Jayson Sines and Mrs. Wilbur McKibben.

Mrs. Bernard Hook, teacher, who led the devotional hour, was given a handsome gift of luggage from the class. The presentation was made by St. Nick, who appeared in the person of Cecil Potter. He also distributed mementos to the others in attendance.

A piano solo was played by Donna Mae McBride and Mrs. Tom Baskeyfield read the scripture.

A delicious repast was served by the hostesses, with Mrs. Melissia McKissick aiding.

January 16 the membership will meet with Mrs. John Kenehan on Rose avenue, with Miss Pearl Colnot and Mrs. John Groyle, cohostesses.

AXE'S EMPLOYEES HAVE YULE PARTY

In observance of the Yuletide season, ladies associated with Axes Market and restaurant gathered in the home of one of their co-workers Mabel Weimer in the Dean Block, for an informal party on a recent evening, with Jean Hart as cohostess.

A holiday program featured, with prizes being awarded to Lottie Scott and Shirley Ward. A delicious repast was served at the close of the evening, by the hostesses. Aiding were, Evelyn Masters, Elsie Laughlin and Jessie Kloss.

Missionary Society To Meet

Women's Missionary society of Calvary Gospel tabernacle will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, corner of Huron and Warren avenues, for a Christmas party at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Blanche Linton is co-hostess.

MISS MAXINE OWENS BRIDE OF LT. BLATT

Mrs. David Owens of Logan avenue announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Maxine Owens, to First Lieut. Clayton Blatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Blatt, of Wilmington, Del.

Th ceremony was solemnized in St. Joseph's parish house, this city, by Rev. Fr. J. R. Unger on December 12 at 11 o'clock. Miss Katherine Clark of Painesville, O., was maid of honor and Eugene Scanlon served the bridegroom as best man.

Lieut. Blatt and his bride left for a short wedding trip. He has just returned from 13 months overseas duty in the U. S. Army Air Forces.

They will be located in Dodge City, Kan.

RACHEL FERRY CLASS DINNER-ELECTION

Members of the Rachel Ferry class of Calvary Gospel tabernacle gathered Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Marie Bailey, of Temple avenue, for their yearly Christmas party. A spaghetti dinner was served by Mrs. Bailey, aided by Mrs. Zelda Fowler and Mrs. Sophie Donaldson, co-hostesses.

Following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Louise Patton; vice-president, Mrs. Dorothy Booher; secretary, Mrs. Mildred Conti; and treasurer, Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins.

A gift was presented to the teacher, Mrs. Marie Bailey, by Mrs. Wilda Gettis.

Next meeting will be January 9, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Conti, 1211 Huron avenue. Mrs. Dorothy Booher will be co-hostess.

Silver Needle Club

Silver Needle club will meet Thursday, December 21, for a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Frances Champ, 515 Electric street.

A. U. R. SOCIETY HAS CHRISTMAS MEETING

A. U. R. society of Central Presbyterian church met at the church on Tuesday evening for a Christmas program and social time. Mrs. A. T. Sadler, Miss Margaret Lowery, and Miss Fannie Love were hostesses.

Mrs. Robert A. Duff was the leader and told a Christmas legend and also played recordings of Christmas music. Carol singing by the group was a feature also.

Mrs. Clifford M. Propst gave a Christmas poem and discussed the foreign topic, "Vengurla at Christmas". Vengurla is a province of India.

During business, with Mrs. E. L. Thompson presiding, a project for overseas hospital sewing was announced.

Mrs. Glenn Anderson and Mrs. Louis Rudesill were in charge of an exchange that preceded the serving of refreshments.

CATHEDRAL CHAPTER INITIATION TUESDAY

Cathedral Chapter No. 440, Order of the Eastern Star, held an impressive initiation ceremony at their meeting conducted in the Scottish Rite Cathedral on Tuesday evening. Worthy Matron Mrs. Nell Hewitt presided, and assisting was Henry Jackson, worthy patron of New Castle Chapter No 105.

As a special guest the assemblage was honored in having Mrs. Estelle Weddell, district deputy grand matron of District 2-B.

A social time was enjoyed with a tasty lunch served in the dining room. Lillian White, general chairman and her aides, were in charge.

Regular meeting of the chapter is scheduled for December 26, which will be in the form of a Christmastide party.

L. O. L. No. 24

Members of the L. O. L. No. 24, Orange Ladies Lodge, will have a tureen dinner at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, December 14, in the Neshannock Lodge hall, Neshannock avenue. The usual holiday program will also feature.



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"The Messiah" will be given Sunday evening, December 17, in the First Methodist church, corner of North Jefferson and Falls streets, at 8 o'clock.

The chorus of 130 voices, largest ever to sing "The Messiah" in New Castle is coached by the capable director, Mrs. William J. Caldwell. She has again carried through with constant rehearsals for the past several weeks for this annual presentation.

With her inspiration and leadership prompting sincere co-operation the participants, this year's performance promises to be exceptional.

Solos will be sung by Miss Alice Long, soprano soloist at the Shadyside Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh, who is well and popularily known in that area. She also sang the soprano solos last year in "The Messiah". Mrs. W. P. Flech, contralto soloist of the First Methodist church, Anthony DeLorenzo, tenor soloist at the First Presbyterian church, and Delbert Fletcher, bass soloist at the First Presbyerian church, are the artists who share these same honors, and need no introduction to audiences of New Castle.

The chorus and solists will be accompanied by two of New Castle's finest musicians, Mrs. Richard Allen, pianist, and Technical Sgt. Edwin Lewis who will be home on furlough from Camp Rucker, Ala., organist.

Annual presentation of "The Messiah" is being sponsored by The Ministerial Association of this city. Many of the churches dispense with their evening service on this occassion, permitting congregations to hear this glorious music festival. For shut-ins and others unable to attend, steps have been taken by the chorus committee, for the presentation to be heard otherwise on this date.

Contributing to the success of this performance of "The Messiah" are Mrs. Jay L. Reed, president of Music Club; Miss Edna Weide, manager of the chorus, Miss Emma Patton, librarian and Miss Ruth Weir, assistant pianist.

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KRAUS-DACHKO ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Kraus of 12 Terrace avenue announce the engagement of their daughter Eleanor to Flight Officer John J. Dachko, son of Mrs. Mary Dachko, of 109 Wilder avenue. No date has been set for the wedding.

Jameson-Shenango Alumni

Members of the Jameson-Shenango Alumni will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Nurses Home of the Jameson Memorial hospital. There will also be a board meeting of the Alumni at that time.

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MAHONING VALLEY CIVIC CLUB CHANGE

Mahoning Valley Civic club scheduled to meet Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mont L. Alley, Youngstown road, has been postponed and will meet instead on Friday, December 22.



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It's Inexplicable

Taken with its qualifying remark, the recent statement of Navy Secretary James V. Forrestal seems to boil down to the fact that Japanese plane production is increasing to such a degree and Jap planes are being improved to such an extent there is no reason for American complacency on the question of air superiority over the Japanese.

It is difficult to conceive of the existence of any American complacency in regard to the war with Japan, even if the planes of the Nipponese were greatly inferior to those flown by American fliers and were being turned out at a lower rate than they are today. It is often said that the war against Japan is far ahead of schedule, but the earliest date recently mentioned for possible termination of the conflict is mid-1946.

With all credit to the military authorities for their hopefulness, it will be remembered that many authorities expected victory over Germany this fall.

But, if victory over the Japanese comes in mid-1946, there will be a year and a half of hard fighting in the Pacific theater, and the number of casualties will increase as larger and larger armies of the Japanese are encountered. How anyone can be complacent about a war which still has at least a year and a half to go and which will require tens of thousands of American lives and hundreds of thousands of tons of valuable material is inexplicable.

The Soldiers Voted

Complete unofficial returns from Pennsylvania's 67 counties show more than 250,000 soldier votes were cast in last month's presidential election in this state.

That furnishes the best possible answer to those who were insisting last spring that the soldiers away from home were going to be dealt out of their right to vote because Congress didn't pass the type of GI-vote bill they wanted, suggests the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Governor Martin demonstrated that the individual state could establish regulations assuring the absentee service men their chance to participate in the election. Pennsylvania's law is simple and workable, minus red tape and irksome restrictions. Under it more than 500,000 ballots were sent to service men and women for use in the recent election.

Many of them were not returned, as had been expected. Warfare is a business that comes before such matters as marking ballots. But the main thing was to make sure the soldiers had the opportunity to vote if they wanted to. That opportunity was given them.

No Greetings For Nazis

Instructions issued to American service men that it may cost them as much as a $65 fine if they even say "Merry Christmas" to a German civilian this Yuletide is obviously a further interpretation of General Eisenhower's recent stringent orders against fraternizing.

Before some of the softer hearted in this country feel disturbed about this it might be well to recall the background of the supreme commander's order. A certain amount of fraternizing or at least genial interchanges between American soldiers and Nazi civilians had gotten under way before it was issued.

Aside from the very real danger of aiding German spies in this situation, it was highlighted by the death, disappearance or injury of some of our men, with the inevitable prospect of more such incidents.

In occupied territory we are dealing with a bitter, deadly enemy. There can be no mistake about that. If there are "good Germans" this is not the time to cull them out. The process, for the American soldier, is too perilous. Good Germans will have to show up on their own account, and not without a long period of probation. General Eisenhower's order is justified and should be fully enforced.

The Electoral College

Enough comment has arisen in the press and over the radio to indicate that a serious attempt may be made to abolish the Electoral College and provide for the election of our president and vice president by direct vote. As a reason for this it is pointed out that the proportionate vote of President Roosevelt and Governor Dewey in the Electoral College was entirely out of proportion to the direct vote which showed the election to have been the closest since 1916.

However, the change in our method of electing our president would have to be made by Constitutional amendment and it is hardly likely that 36 of the 48 states would approve such a change, especially the states in the Solid South which benefit most through the Electoral College.

It is pointed out that the Electoral College was devised as a deliberative body to elect our president and vice president from the best available timber after the national election is over. But the calling of national conventions and selecting of national tickets by the major political parties have rendered the Electoral College a matter of form.

Yet the provision to abolish the Electoral College and elect our president by popular vote would be another blow at state rights and another step toward abolishing home rule entirely. For that reason the move will be looked on with suspicion by those who believe state's rights are a guarantee of our liberties.

Furthermore if we had direct elections by popular vote the president necessarily would be required to have a majority of the popular vote unless we were to invite the European multiple party system with all its dangers to American republican government. And if a majority vote were required an Electoral College or something similar would be necessary in case no candidate received a majority.

A view of the situation therefore would indicate that those who advocate direct election of the president and vice president have a long road ahead of them. It is possible that a proposal to have proportional representation on the Electoral College might have a better chance of adoption. It meets many objections which are presented against direct elections. But since anything done must be done by Constitutional amendment there is little chance of a change at any near date.

There was a time when citizens stood in line for a bowl of soup. Now it's cigarets.

People who stand in line to get cigarets seldom make the same effort to buy spinach.

Words Of Wisdom

No joy in nature is so sublimely affecting as the joy of a mother at the good fortune of her child.—Richter.

Hints On Etiquette

A dressy black dress is permissible to wear at a wedding except by members of the wedding party.

Washington Calling

By MARQUIS CHILDS

'Deserving Democrats' Are Being Rewarded

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—After every election, in the old days, there was a gold rush of office seekers to Washington. Even in the middle of the Civil War, they filed into Abraham Lincoln's office and joggled his hand while he was trying to sign state papers.

It isn't as bad as that today. Recent appointments, however, at the start of the fourth term have been in the old political tradition of rewarding your friends and punishing your enemies.

I refer particularly to the appointment of former governor Robert A. Hurley of Connecticut to the surplus property board, and the impending appointment of Senator Guy M. Gillette to the same body. They art both deserving Democrats in need of a job, but that hardly qualifies them to dispose of 50 billion dollars in goods and plants.

Something Better Needed

The time calls for something bigger and braver. Five months before his death, I received a letter from Wendell Willkie that says it much better than I can.

The letter was written on May 10, when there were rumors that the administration would offer Willkie the secretaryship of the navy. What Willkie said seems to apply today even more than it did then:

"As to the secretaryship of the navy and other similar suggestions, obviously no one from the outside becoming secretary of the navy at this time, no matter how great his administrative skill or wide his knowledge, could possibly master the multiple ramifications of the navy department or the navy and its activities short of several months.

"As a matter fo fact, with an impending invasion, a new man of conscience and not a mere front would probably be but a nuisance. The only objective the administration could possibly have (even if it is considering such a move, which I seriously doubt) in offering me the position would be for the political benefits.

"I, of course, have no way of measuring how many, or if any, people believe in me. If, however, I have only one follower, I certainly owe him the obligation not to use the faith of that relationship for purely political purposes or permit the administration or the Republican party to use it for such purposes.

Critical Moment

"As I have said to you, I happen to believe that this is the most critical moment in the history of liberty. All I passionately believe in is at stake—free government, civil liberty, economic justice and real accord, not alone among the nations but among the peoples of the world.

"Let us assume, as is asserted by Mr. Roper"—(Elmo Roper, the public opinion poll taker, who had told Willkie that his studies showed Willkie had a large popular following in the country in spite of his repudiation in the Wisconsin primary)—"And is said by many others, that millions of people believe in me and are turning to me for leadership. Should I use that faith merely for place, or permit others to use that faith for their political ends?

"If I had a notion that I was the only one qualified to serve as secretary of the navy, or in any other position, I would, of course, accept if offered. Or if I really thought that such action on my part would unify the people, I would, of course, accept. Not believing either of these things, I would, of course, not accept. By the same token, the many that I should in advance agree to suggestions that are made to me accept some important position in government under the anticipated Republican administration as a condition of my support of Mr. Dewey, or support him in the hope of some position, leave me equally cold.

"I do not know whether I make my point clear. If these were ordinary times I might be moved by different motives. I happen to believe these are critical times, almost determinative times."

Yes, he made his point clear. I think he made it crystal clear. He expressed in those few paragraphs the integrity of the giver of an office and the recipient of an office.

When he wrote that letter, he asked that I not quote him directly. But I think he would forgive me for having done so now. These are critical times, and the weight of a brave man's words may strengthen us all.

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The World and the Mud Puddles

TREASURY EMBEZZLEMENT

Demands are being made on Congress by the National Social Security Board that the automatic increase in assessments from one to two per cent be allowed to take place January first as provided by law. The Board cites an alleged need for a billion and half more for the coming year. A contrary view is taken by many Congressmen in both parties, who favor freezing the present assessments through special legislation. They insist that this is not the time to take further cuts from pay envelopes or add to employers' tax loads.

One fact about our so-called social security reserve that is mysterious to the general public is that no such fund actually exists. The billions paid in by workers and employers have been diverted to other funds and Federal IOU's deposited in their place. In other

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The Toonerville Trolley — By FONTAINE FOX



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 5:28. Sun rises tomorrow 8:21.

Overheard on the Bus: "She enjoys a certain kind of popularity. In a recent contest at the plant, she was the one voted most likely to get alimony."

Well, at that, the Planners of the Bright New World have a swell chance of putting their pet schemes across as long as they don't try to standardize the style of women's hats.

We do not claim to be one of those conclusion jumpers who know what is wrong with Hitler or where he is...but we can guess that wherever he is, he has a perpetual headache.

PERT AND PERTINENT

"Sociologists claim that putting a criminal behind bars does not make him any better..." weekly reporter.—perhaps not, but it does improve the conditions on the outside.

"If you want to get rich, provide pleasure and amusement instead of misery..."—lecturer.—yes, the football coach gets paid more than the professor of mathematics.

"Worry is a great weight reducer. It will pull you down to skin and bones..."—medical record.—unless one is worrying about being to fat.

"Nine times a smuch castor oil is used in Industry as for medical purposes..."—news note.—when we were young, it was either too much castor oil or not enough industry.

Yesterday's Tomorrow's Simile: as alluring as a jitterbug who has captured the secret of perpetual emotion.

DEFINITELY DERISIVE DEFINITIONS

Optimist—a guy who thinks the onion belongs to the lily family.

Pessimist—a guy who thinks the lily belongs to the onion family.

Congenial Soul—any person who dislikes the same radio programs you do.

Amazon—a river—or a woman—with a large mouth.

Statistics show that more men than women go crazy. Yes, but who drives the men crazy?

Two things the gals like to have look pretty are their faces and their legs.

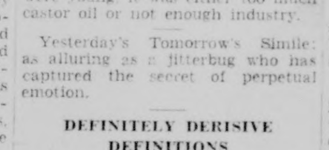
Very often it is more fun to watch people dance than to dance yourself.

War Bonds are the best way to save money. It is also the best way to save the lives of our loved ones in the fighting front. Buy all you can buy.

It's no disgrace to be poor, but it's mighty inconvenient.

When the time comes for the meek to inherit the earth, taxes will be so high they won't want to.

We heard a woman say she did not like to see her husband brush his shoes with the necktie she gave him.



There are but two ways to get ahead. Marry a "saving" woman or make money faster than the other kind can spend it.

Sitting by the radio, you can tell when a prayer is finished. The congregation resume coughing.

O. P. A. says the cost of living is up only 30 per cent. Wonder what kind of groceries those fellows buy.

The strike of long distance operators was instructive. People learned that a postcard would serve as well.

An automobile is a remarkable vehicle until it stops running.

Very often some birds have to keep their words because nobody else will take them.

The radio will never take the place of newspapers. You can't swat a fly with a radio.

It's not what you have that matters, it is what you do with what you have.

The sucker majority defeats itself, as in Argentina. When it has a chance to win, it always splits or is betrayed by its own rogues.

There are no "lower animals." Each is perfect to its Creator, and no doubt as important as any other.

Big war-time pay doesn't change people. It only encourages them to show what they have felt all the time.

German subs, land mines, robot tanks, robot bombs. They beat the world in making weapons they can use without exposing themselves.

The President would let boys choose any year between 17 and 23 for their military training. That means all of them would finish training at 24.



The death toll will be heavy so long as holidays are alcoholidays.

The Huns and Japs are not so dumb. Beating them is taking such production and effort as the world never dreamed possible.

The weather never gets so bad that it is unfit for conversation.

Grandpappy Jenkins spent four hours today ransacking the attic, looking for that box of cubebs he cached away 40 years ago.

It is no soldier's fauld if he stays at home. He goes where he is sent. Yet combat men are the heroes, and deserve most for giving most.

The supreme selfishness is to be laid up with a cold and be glad the weather is vile since you can't get out to enjoy it.

A free land is one where graft and crookedness thrive because the "self-governing" people don't care enough to make a fuss about them.

What, asks a reader, is the plural of scissors? That sort of question, retorts the man at the next desk, is shear nonsense.

Good Taste

By E. E. Postt

(By FRANCINE MARKEL)

REGISTERING AT HOTEL

"Regarding names, give us please the following information about registering at a hotel: Man and wife—man, wife, children and his mother. (2) How should an unmarried woman register? How should a widow? A divorcee? A married woman travelling without her husband? (3) How should we address, in conversation, a Catholic Priest? A Bishop (Catholic or Protestant), a Rabbi, a Senator, a Congressman?

Answer. A man registering alone, signs himself: John Jones, omitting "Mr." If he is a physician, he usually prefixes "Dr." Man and wife register Mr. and Mrs. John Jones. Neither John Jones and wife nor John Jones and family is correct. The entire family should be registered by name, unless the children are very small, in which case "and children" may be added.

An unmarried woman should sign "Miss Mary Jones." A married woman or widow "Mrs. John Jones." A divorcee "Mrs. John Jones" or "Mrs. Smith Jones, whatever is her usual form of address.

A Catholic Priest should be addressed in conversation: "Father." If he is a Doctor of Divinity, address him as "Dr." In writing, address him: "Reverend John Smith" (followed by the initials of the order of which he is a member, if he is an "Order Priest." A Bishop (Catholic or Protestant) should be orally addressed as "Bishop Smith." In writing: The Right Reverend Jonn Smith or The Bishop of (city), (city) (state). Rabbi: "Dr." if he holds the degree or "Rabbi Smith." In writing: "Dr. J. N. Smith" or "Rabbi J. N. Smith."

A Senator is addressed as "Senator." In writing (socially) Senator John Smith, (his home address); officially The Hon. John Smith Senator from New York, Washington, D. C.

Congressman—"Mr. Smith"—(Mr. Congressman is incorrect) In writing—"The Hon. John Smith," U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

Miss Markel will promptly mail personal answers to questions from any readers inclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Tomorrow—Information on Weddings.

The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

SHY CHILD AND PARENT

Cultivated parents who are very sensitive to the conventional niceties of social grace and over-eager about its requirement in their children, may be dull to larger matters of manners and conduct in these children.

For example, some parents who center their attention on training the child at a very early age to greet a guest as a refined adult should greet him or, at a party, to bid the hostess good-bye and tell her how much he enjoyed the party, might not be nearly so assiduous over teaching this same child to be civil and courteous to other people in the immediate neighborhood and considerate of their rights and possessions, or over teaching him to act with proper self-control in a bus, drug store or Sunday school assembly.

First Things First

I'm not saying that learning the little tricks of conventional decorum is not of value. I'm just saying that its value to character and citizenship is not comparable to the value of acquiring consideration of the rights and feelings of others in the hundreds of everyday situations which necessitate inhibitions and self-control, consideration not usually ranked deservedly high by most cultivated mothers. Ideally we should emphasize both these aspects of good manners, but let us put first things first.

Furthermore, the foundation for cultivating such restraints as are basic in regard for the rights of others can and should be started when the child begins to creep, climb and walk. The child brought up well, indeed, has learned the unambiguous meaning of NO by the time he is two or three.

But the art of greeting and speaking to a guest or stranger may not easily be learned by the child until considerably later, and its cultivation requires patient, gradual, positive suggestions and persuasion by the parent. The trouble with most of us parents is that we expect the young child to exercise adult conventions long before he has gained sufficient skill and emotional security and courage to do so.

Personality Fears

To illustrate, the tot of three or four may be so overwhelmed with personality fears (self-consciousness) on meeting a strange adult as to be paralyzed into speechlessness. To attempt to force him to speak to the stranger then would be the height of cruelty. Yet hundreds of well-meaning mothers have been inflicting such cruelties on the defenseless youngster. Many of them have written me to say they have been embarrassed over their shy child.

They embarrassed! What of the suffering child?

These mothers don't need scolding. They need to be shown how the child feels, shown that when he seems to be too stubborn to talk he is just too scared to talk. These mothers need to get their attention away from their foolish fears of disapproval by other mothers who also lack insight into the child's emotions, to how the youngster feels.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

AD FOR PARENTS

He came in to me with a wide-spreading grin.
He stood as he talked and he held up his chin.
His eyes looked in mine and polite was his speech.
His manners were those it takes patience to teach.
And I thought in the moments I spent with the lad
I could vision in him both his mother and dad.

I said when he left and I say it again:
"That sort of a boy takes devotion to train.
That lad wasn't left to the strangers he'd meet
Or tossed to the dangers of night and the street.
You could tell from his actions that youngster has had
The love of a marvelous mother and dad."

He went on his way, but this tribute is paid
To his parents because of that visit he made.
From the shine on his shoes to the part in his hair
It was certain that boy had been cherished with care.
Thus to sum it all up: What a glorious ad
A youngster can be for his mother and dad!

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What People Say

(International News Service)

PARIS—Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R) Conn.: "The present shortages are not due to strikes . . . but to the inability of the Administration and the unwillingness of both parties to pass a piece of manpower legislation freezing workers to their josb and enabling those jobs to be done."

CLEVELAND — Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey: "When victory comes each and every citizen must be prepared to pay the tremendous debt owed the servicemen. We must not fail to realize the magnitude of this responsibility."

WASHINGTON — Sen. Guy M. Gillette (D) Iowa: "If the present trend in international affairs continues, the military victory which is certain to be ours will be lost politically."

Washington Report

Congress Gives Up Early Adjournment
Many Items Producing Heated Battles
Christmas Trees Plentiful This Year

By HELEN ESSARY
(Central Press Columnist)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Democratic leaders in Congress are about to scrap their plans for an early adjournment. They are conceding privately that the "lame duck" session possibly will continue until a few days before Christmas.

The reason is that a number of important legislative matters are pressing for consideration, and it does not appear that they can be disposed of without considerate debate. Moreover, there is little possibility of simply tucking them away until the new Congress meets on January 3.

Legislation to extend the Second War Powers act tops the "urgent list" in the eyes of the administration, and a House judiciary committee amendment to the bill is expected to promote a heated battle. The lone amendment permits appeals to a federal district court from any WPB or OPA order suspending any priority or allocation or denying a stay of any such suspension.

In addition, many members of Congress regard as imperative a freezing of the old age pension tax for another year. The administration is opposed to this, and wants the tax to double automatically on Jan. 1. A presidential veto may result if Congress passes a freezing or compromise measure.

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At any rate—the battle will be time-consuming. And additional fights already are under way on pressing flood control, river and harbor, highway and crop insurance legislation.

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The House drive for a constitutional amendment cutting it in on the Senate's individual power to ratify treaties is—in the eyes of most political observers—doomed to immediate failure.

Proposals in the lower chamber would make treaty ratification subject to a simple majority vote in both the House and the Senate, instead of the present requirement for a two-thirds upper chamber vote. At present the Senate is certain to block the measure if it is passed by the House, and the outlook for a stone wall will continue into the new 79th Congress, which meets in January.

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The seriousness of the lag in war production is being driven home to America's workers at every opportunity. Army and Navy chieftains, Jimmy Byrnes, War Mobilization director, Paul McNutt, War Manpower chief, and practically all of the Washington officials, are appearing before labor meetings at every chance to appeal for a boost in production.

Main reason for the lag is that American troops have been storming ahead so rapidly they are months ahead of schedule and the home-front hasn't caught up with them yet.

Most dramatic appeal came from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme Allied commander in Europe. He dispatched 27 fighting GI's straight from the Siegfried Line to Washington to tell the people the need for addition munitions.

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The War Production Board is asking Washington reporters to help put over the story of the urgent need for more manpower in certain industries making such critical munitions as heavy-heavy trucks and artillery shells. WPB Chairman J. A. Krug says labor recruitment and genuine assistance to the battle to beat the Axis will be vastly stimulated by sending photographers and newsmen through war plants so they can tell the nation.

Saddled with the job of meeting a 12-months schedule in only nine months, some farm machinery pro-

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LOOKING AT LIFE

By ERICH BRANDEIS

We were discussing taxes at the lunch table a few days ago, and all four of us agreed that taxes are much too high.

Of course, like all amateur economists, none of us had a remedy, except to fire a million government employes, but we had a lot of fun kicking, anyway.

One of the fellows—a man with two servants, a $35,000 home and two automobiles—complained that there is no such thing as INCENTIVE any more.

"What's the use working hard and using your brains?" he asked. "The government takes it away from us as fast as we make it, and all this taxation, which is approaching confiscation, stifles enterprise and ambition."

I didn't say anything at the time—I don't seem to be very fast at repartee—but when I got home I did some thinking.

Incentive, the fellow had said. Just what is incentive—the thing that impels men to action?

Is money all there is to it? Is power, success, vanity the only thing that is an incentive to achievement?

Did Christ die at the cross for money?

Did Lincoln free the slaves for pay?

Did Verdi think of taxes and of wealth when he composed his glorious music or Shakespeace when he wrote Romeo and Juliet?

How About These?

How about the teachers and the preachers all over the world?

How about the doctors who go out into the dark of the night to save a life, the scientists who spend long hours in stuffy laboratories to discover sulfanilamide or penicillin?

And why go far afield?

How about you mothers who nurse your babies through sickness and health, who cook and wash and scrub and mend for your children and your husbands?

How about you men who labor so that your homes may be yours and your families may live a little better lives than your fathers' families?

How about all the millions who know they will never be rich but who yet do their plain, prosaic chores day after day, year after year, just because they have a sense of duty and because it is man's lot to earn his living in the sweat of his brow.

Oh, surely, I would like to see taxes reduced and financial worries taken away from all of us.

That would give us more comfort, more peace of mind, perhaps more happiness.

But INCENTIVE to do good can never be stimulated by money—because INCENTIVE is a thing of the spirit—and not of the pocket book.

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Bible Thought

Who is like unto thee, O Lord, among the gods? who is like thee, glorious in holiness, fearful in praise, doing wonders? — Exodus 15:11.

The United States' mightiest battleship, the Missouri, has been put into service against the nation's enemies. We predict that it will show them. — St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Before Allied Politics: Victory!

Because Allied unity in all matters is imperative for the earliest possible victory, it is to be strongly urged that Russia and Britain take time out from their political activities in muddled Europe in order to put their full effort into the military defeat of Nazi Germany.

We don't believe the Allies are in any danger of serious disagreements. The British and the Russians are fighting associates in this war. We need them as our allies for victory and we shall need them as friends in the building of a lasting peace.

But the United States Government should be alert at all times to forces and factors that tend to impair the co-operation of the Allies in the winning of the war.

Meriting the attention of every American is the assertion by the unofficial but authoritative Army and Navy Journal that British and Russian preoccupation with political matters was responsible for Allied failure to achieve the hope of this country "that the war in Europe would be over by now."

This is a startling charge, but the Army and Navy Journal marshals impressive facts to back it up, citing "Communistic and British interference and clashing which necessarily affect military operations." In whatever degree this situation exists, the Washington Government should lose no time in striving to correct it.

It is no longer news, but history, that Soviet Russia moved with great energy, at the height of the war, to establish itself in a position of political dominance in the Baltic and Balkan States.

But these frank operations apparently represented only part of the Kremlin's outside interests. In Italy's proposed new Cabinet, the Communist leader, Togliatti, is slated for a post, while Count Sforza —whose appointment as Foreign Minister was opposed by Britain, prompting the Washington Government to rebuke the British by announcing a hands-off policy—has been dropped.

In Belgium, following public disorders, the Communists are pushing the organization of a Popular Front. In Greece the British have used force in an attempt to check civil strife that stemmed not only from British political activity in Greece but from Communist manipulations.

Whatever the fundamental rights or wrongs of the British position in Greece and of Britain's efforts to lineup a bloc of western European nations, the fact remains that although the United States Government spoke right out in chiding the British for interfering in Italy and Greece, it hasn't said a word openly in protest against Soviet Russia's strong-arm political activity in eastern Europe.

If it is to be assumed that in setting forth America's hands-off policy Secretary of State Stettinius was urging Russia as well as Britain, not to interfere with the right of the peoples of liberated countries to choose their own Government, it's a pity he didn't make the notice to Moscow more pointed.

The Red Army's campaign in Hungary in the absence of a concerted Russian drive on the eastern border of Germany, suggests that Premier Stalin is still concerned with the broadening of Moscow's sphere of influence.

The plain truth is that excessive political activity by one or another of the Allies helps to delay victory and prolong the war. Such a condition certainly is unfair to the third great member of the Allies, in this case America.

To our Allies Washington should say firmly: Victory comes first!—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The Christmas Store of Dependable Gifts



Handkerchiefs 35c to $3.00

Say it with handkerchiefs! Everybody welcomes hankies for Christmas . . . and we have a super collection here! Sheer whites, prints, embroidered Madeiras, lace edges and Swiss petite point hankies, all delightful gifts.



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Powder Boxes $2.00

Give her a gift for her room. A lovely mirror tray for her dresser or a powder box, in soft pastel shades with floral designs.

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by Mojud

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The little sister of the glamorous Ziegfeld Girl. Beautiful tortoise plastic compact, equally smart in evening bag or sports jacket pocket.

Ziegfeld Girl, $2.95

Cigarette Case to match, $1.95



Handbags $5 to $50

Plus Tax

Make her happy Christmas morning by giving her a quality handbag from our exquisite collection of fabrics and leathers, some with lucite trim, all gloriously beautiful.



Gloves $4.50-$5.00

The gift every woman prefers, lovely capeskin gloves in 8-button length. Some washable kid tex, all full P. K. So dressy for holiday going. Black and brown.

Doeskin Gloves $3.98 to $6.50

Doeskin, deerskin and suede in 4 and 6 button lengths, some washable. Black, brown and white.



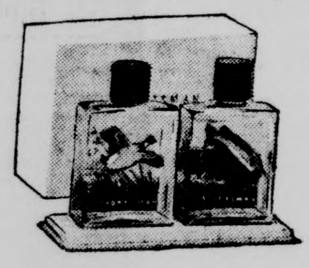
Sequin Butterfly Comb

$1.25-$2.00

A touch of glamor for the holiday festivities, these lovely sequin butterflies come in black, gold and silver.

Pearl Trimmed Combs, $3.00

Neckwear Dept.



Sportsman, Cologne and

After-Shave Lotion $5.50

Plus Tax

Sportsman toiletries for men are distinctly masculine and decidedly correct. A gift he will love and appreciate.

How To Please A Man



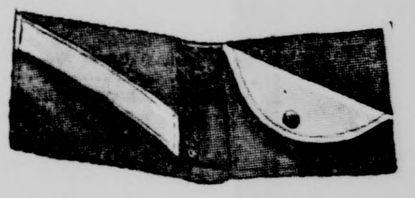
Ties $1.00 to $3.50

The gift he's always enjoys, ties and more ties in gay colors. Some hand pa'nted . . . your sure to find some to please him.

Plaid Sport Shirts $7.95

Just the thing for the outdoor man, 50% wool in gay plaids.

Also cotton and rayon sport shirts, in washable plaids. **$3.98**



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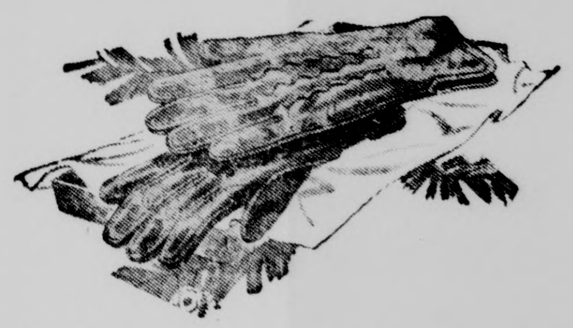
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Society AND Clubs

HARBOR GARDEN CLUB CALLS OFF MEETING

Late Tuesday afternoon when it became apparent that the conditions of the roads would make attendance difficult at the meeting of the Harbor Garden club scheduled for the evening at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Gwin, The Harbor, it was decided to postpone the meeting until Tuesday evening, December 19. On that date the club will meet at Mrs. Gwin's home.

Thursday

Oakwood Garden, Mrs. R. R. Peden, hostess.

Butler Girls, Mrs. Arthur Armstrong, Butler avenue.

W.S.O., The Castleton.

D.D.D. Mrs. Samuel W. Fray, Winter avenue.

J.F.F., Mrs. Francis Davis, West Washington street.

O.A.O., Mrs. William McBride, Warren avenue.

G.W.C., Mrs. Philip R. Winter, 501 Martin street.

Navy Wives.

T.E.D., Mrs. Charles Key, East Brook road.

D.D., Mrs. William Evans, Lutton street.

T.F.H., Mrs. Lawrence Harper, Court street.

Y.M.M., Mrs. Clifford Roberts, County Line street.

Lo-Cour-Chee, Mrs. Elmer Giering, 10 West Moody avenue.

Reunited Ladies, Mrs. Anna Nolte, Cumberland avenue.

N.L.U., Mrs. Virginia Borman, 478 Neshannock avenue.

W.I.T.Y., Mrs. Merle Ross, Ray street.

Mothers of Service Nurses, Mrs. Floyd Reed, 839 Almira avenue.

G.N., Mrs. Guy Francazio, Friendship street.

Busy Fingers, Mrs. Albert Augostine, Lathrop street.

Amerita, Mrs. Andrew George, Monroe street.

V-44, Mrs. Paul LaScola, Wall street.

Buene Ameci, Mrs. Teresa Guido, South Mill street.

1926, Ki-Nu, Mrs. C. B. Schooley, 710 Blaine street.

P.F.F., Mrs. Frank Haas, 214 Park avenue.

Sempre Fidelis, Mrs. Carl Tranquillo, 513 East Leasure avenue.

JOHNSON-LOMBARDO ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson of Ebensburg, Pa. announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Pete Lombardo, S. 2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lombardo of 524 North Liberty street.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Dependable Class Dinner

Dependable class of the First Baptist church taught by Mrs. Alex Gardner held a Christmas dinner social and business meeting at the church on Monday evening. Spaghetti dinner was served with Mrs. Gardner, Miss Peggy Ziegler and Miss Louse Ward as hostesses.

Devotionals following dinner were led by Miss Charlotte Miles.

Election of officers resulted as follows: president, Peggy Ziegler; vice president, Peggy Vogan; secretary, Charlotte Miles; treasurer, Jean Johnson; attendance captains, Peggy Vogan and June Peeble.

Mss Peggy Vogan gave a reading about Christmas. She also won the award for the Bible game that was the pastime. The Misses Peggy Ziegler and Shirley Watters led games.

Sixth Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. List of 478 Moore avenue honored their daughter Emily on her sixth birthday anniversary, when they entertained at an informal party in their home for 15 guests.

Festivities began at 1 o'clock with games and contests claiming attention.

Included in the gathering was the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Anna List of Hillsville.

In addition to an array of lovely personal gifts Emily also received a special four-layer birthday cake.

Cameo Club Meets

Cameo club members were entertained by Miss Dolly Ann Pierz on Tuesday evening at her home, 1012 Ashland avenue. Five hundred was the pastime with prizes going to the Misses Jane Cwynar, Nellie Corio and Helen Welczak.

Special guests, Mrs. Alma Nenichino and Miss Irene Lada, also received remembrances. Miss Jane Pierz aided her sister.

Next meeting will be with Miss Bernadine Surganevich, 2127 Berger street, on December 30.

St. Mary's Ladies

St. Mary's ladies will transact important business at their January 10 meeting, the December meeting scheduled for this evening having been postponed.

L. A. B. Club

Members of the L. A. B. club will meet at the home of Mrs. David Jones on Walnut street Thursady evening, December 28.

W. C. T. U. AND L. T. L.

Frances Willard W. C. T. U.

Frances Willard W. C. T. U. will meet Friday evening, December 15, with Mrs. W. H. Humphrey, 202 Fairfield avenue. This is a change of place.

Air Forces Insignia



AS A SALUTE to the movie "Winged Victory," WAC Pvt. Margaret Gallagher, Jersey City, N. J., displays the insignia of the 16 U. S. Army Air Forces, including the recently-activated 20th which was created for the purpose of bombing Japan. All of the film's production and distribution profits will go to U. S. Army charities. (*International*)

Demands Facts Be Given People About 'Teheran'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Sen. C. Wayland Brooks (R) Ill., demanded today that the American people be told of "political clauses" in the Teheran agreement and the armistice with Italy.

"The answer to these questions may explain the scramble and struggle by each of our two major allies in Europe," Brooks—seven times wounded and three times decorated as a World War I Marine—declared in a Senate speech.

"We are throwing stones at each other. We live in an atmosphere of suspicion about motives of two big European powers. We are in the dark, and the American people should be enlightened," he asserted.

Two Fire Calls Answered Here

City firemen answered two fire calls last evening, but no action was required in either instance, and no damage resulted, Fire Chief James E. Thomas reported.

At 7:25 o'clock an alarm was sounded from box 49, calling the department to the home of R. M. Hilyard, 826 Morton street, where dust was scorching in a hot air pipe from the heater.

At 10:09 o'clock third ward firemen were called to the home of H. W. Robinson of 911 Lorain avenue, where a board had been left against a hot water heater.

With New Castle Afro-Americans

St. Paul's Baptist church members will have their annual meeting at the church Friday evening, December 15, at 7:30 o'clock.

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Joan Barry's Girl Taken Into Court In Chaplin Case

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—(INS)—A chubby 14-month-old girl, Carol Ann Barry, was carried in an attorney's arms today into the court which will determine whther Charlie Chaplin, world famous master of pantomine, is her father.

The baby, focal point in a paternity suit initiated a year and a half ago by Joan Barry, Chaplin's one-time screen protege, was brought to court by Joseph Scott, Miss Barry's attorney.

Miss Barry and Chaplin were both absent from court as the comedian's attorney, Charles E. Millikan moved for a postponement on the ground one of the most important defense witnesses, Hans Reusch, is now in New York.

The motion was made before acting presiding judge Ruben Schmidt.

Scott entered the court carrying the baby, as red-haired as her mother, in company of the baby's grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Berry, and his law partner, A. H. Risse.

German Casualties Reach 9,000 Daily

PARIS, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Recent figures indisate the Germans averaged 9,000 casualties a day between November 16 and November 26 during the peak of the First Army attack. These are considered too high but it is likely the Nazis are losing a division every 10 days.

DESIGNER WILL WED SOCIALITE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Norman Bel Geddes, industrial and stage designer, and Mrs. Anne Howe Hilliard, of Philadelphia, today were planning to be married before Christmas..

That announcement was made by Mrs. Hilliard's mother, Mrs. George Howe, whose husband is a former business partner of the 51-year-old designer. The marriage will be the third for Bel Geddes.

LAWRENCE COUNTY FIREMEN CANCEL

Lawrence County firemen have cancelled the meeting which had been called for this evening in the Moose Club on South Mercer street because of adverse weather conditions outside New Castle.

WOULD CLOSE PULASKI STATION

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The Public Utility Commission was asked today by the Erie railroad and the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad companies for authority to discontinue the station building at Pulaski and to change the status of the stop from non-agency" to "non-agency for carload freight only."

The companies claimed closing the building would not inconvenience the public.

TWO ON PROBATION

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Richard E. Bursey, 18, of Massillon, O., and Ralph Fetzer, Jr., 22, of north side, today were placed on probation for three years by Federal Judge R. M. Gibson after pleading guilty to transporting two automobiles across the state line last July.

Fetzer, now a defense worker and who served in the navy two and a half years, and Bursey were charged with transporting a stolen car from Hillsville to Youngstown, O., and another from the Ohio city to Pittsburgh.

SNOW PARALYZES TRAFFIC

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Due to the heavy snow in the Pittsburgh district, there were practically no business transactions in the local wholesale district today, as traffic was practically paralyzed, the streets being almost impassable for trucks.

Christmas greens and trees were arriving daily in the market, and J. K. Boyd, federal food reporter of the war food administration advised that it might be well for housewives to make their selection promptly when dealers display trees.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Helen Chaplin, 518 West North street, is now in the Fairmont hospital, Fairmont, W. Va., for an operation, according to word from her mother, Mrs. J. J. Hardway of Fairmont. Mrs. Chaplin is the wife of Pfc. Charles W. Chaplin, now stationed at the Harrisburg academy, Harrisburg, Pa.

In Religious And Fraternal Circles

Oak Grove Changes

Party for the women of Oak Grove U. P. church, planned for Thursday evening at the church, and the party scheduled at the church Saturday for the children, have both been postponed until further notice.

First U. P. Class

Mrs. W. J. Brown of Young street will entertain the Sunday school class taught by Miss Rebecca E. Browne at a Christmas party Friday evening. Mrs. Elsie Dickey and Mrs. John Cross will be cohostesses.

Good Will Spiritualist

Good Will Spiritualist Church of Christ, South Jefferson street at South, second floor. Rev. James H. Anderson pastor. Service, 8 p. m., Mrs. S. McCann, speaker.

Parent-Teachers

Union Township P.T.A.

In spite of the weather there was a large attendance at the Union township P.T.A. Christmas party and tureen dinner at the school building on Tuesday evening.

Games were a pastime during the social evening. Ed Donley, Miss Ruth Cowan and Clayton Hoffmaster were the committee in charge.

Announcement was made that children of the grade school will present a play at the school on December 20 at 8 p. m.

Monterey, Mexico, is to have a new race track costing $200,000.

BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of writer, and also give name of doctor.)

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bupp of 218 Cottage street, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, December 12.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Allen, 407½ Norwood avenue, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, December 13.

Y.W.C.A. NOTES

Blue Triangle Club

Blue Triangle club members will have a dinner and Christmas party Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at The Castleton. Misses Beulah Ruthrauff, Helen Young and Margaret Williams, Mrs. Gladys Baker and Mrs. Aubrey Johns are the hostesses in charge of arrangements.

The San Francisco College for Women owns the most complete collection of bookplates in the United States.

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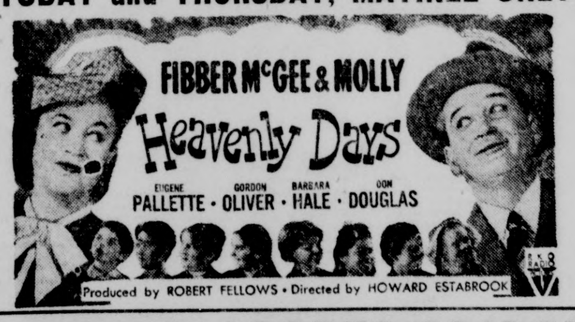

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Will Make Battle Against Plan To Shift Industry

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—A special 12-member committee headed by Attorney General James H. Duff will meet at the state capitol today to "take an aggressive stand" against a U. S. senate proposal to shut down some eastern war plants and subsidize southern and western factories after Germany surrenders.

Duff said the committee has made good progress in plans to combat the proposal, introduced by Sen. Pat McCarran (D) Nevada, and termed by Gov. Edward Martin "a barefaced attempt to transplant Pennsylvania industry and jobs under the guise of New Deal planning."

The attorney general said "every kind of industry in Pennsylvania would be affected" if the plan were adopted. Employment would decline 35 per cent and reduce plant values by one-third, he estimated.

Governor Martin has called upon Pennsylvania labor, agriculture, industry and home owners to join the fight against the proposal.

Brother Of Two Soldiers Killed Reaches Home

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Corporal William A. Degnan, whose two brothers were killed in the service of their country, was home on a 30-day furlough to visit his parents today—thanks to the intervention of President Roosevelt.

Cpl. Degnan's mother, Mrs. William J. Degnan, wrote to the president last November 6, after she learned that her second son had been killed in a plane crash. Mrs. Degnan told the president she feared her third and last son, William, who was in the south Pacific, might also be killed.

She heard no more of the matter until yesterday, when William walked in and said: "Hello mom, hello pop. I'm home."

He told his parents he has a 30-day furlough to spend with them, after which he will be permanently stationed in this country.

THE WORLD AND THE MUD PUDDLES

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words, the government "borrows" from the Social Security taxes, spends them and "charges" them. Then it borrows other money to meet social security obligations—money that will have to be paid by taxes. One commentator thus refers to this system of financial juggling:

". . . . . what would be thought of a private corporation spending the money paid by its employees into a retirement fund, instead of investing it? Ordinary commercial honesty would call it speculation, embezzlement, which is precisely what it is, by whomsoever done; and just that is what the Treasury Bureaucrats have done and are doing."

If the Social Security set-up were operated by a private insurance company on the same basis that the government is operating it, the officers of the company would all be sent to prison.

Before Congress consents to any increase in Social Security taxes to be taken from the pockets of millions of workers as well as already tax-burdened employers, it should drag the whole financing business into the limelight and demand a thorough accounting.

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Republican State Senators To Meet

Will Select President Pro Tempore And Majority Leader For Next Year

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The 32 Republican state senators will caucus at the state capitol today to select a president pro tempore, a majority leader and formulate GOP strategy for the upper chamber next year.

The house Republican majority of 109 members will caucus tomorrow to outline organization plans and name a slate of officers for the coming session.

Political circles have reported an undercover battle over the selection of a president pro tempore leading some politicians to believe that Sen. Charles H. Early, who announced he would not seek re-election, might be suggested as a compromise candidate.

Leading contenders for the post were reported to be Sen. E. Leroy Chapman, East Warren physician, and Sen. Charles R. Mallery of Hollidaysburg. GOP State Chairman M. Harvey Taylor has also been mentioned as a compromise choice.

Chapman, resident of the oil producing area and a veteran of 14 years in the upper chamber, appeared to be the leading contender for the post but Early may be re-elected if the post is "offered" to him for a third time.

Sen. Weldon R. Heyburn, Delaware county Republican leader, was expected to be re-elected majority leader for a second term.

WASHINGTON REPORT

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ducers are falling behind requirements. To the farmer in the nation's agricultural belts, this means—tough going in view of WFA Chief Marvin Jones' plea for continued high production of food in 1945. And they have little new farm machinery with which to tackle the job. Result—the farm machinery division has scheduled a meeting with top WPB officials to iron out the many problems.

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Santa Claus will have Christmas trees galore to decorate with gifts this year. The OWI says there will be ample to satisfy the holiday needs of everybody.

Artie Challenges Jap Propaganda

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The truth of Jap propaganda was challenged today by Artie Shaw, the bandleader.

Shaw, resuming his career as a civilian with an engagement in Chicago after two years in the navy related that he was in a foxhole on Guadalcanal during a Jap air raid.

"Tokyo Rose played one of my recordings and said:

"'While you poor fellows are fighting an impossible battle, Artie Shaw, the man who made this record, is lying in a warm comfortable bed in San Francisco.'"

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Expert Thinks Himmler May Execute Hitler

By THOMAS C. WATSON
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Great Britain's leading expert on Nazi mentality is of the opinion today that Heinrich Himmler may kill Adolf Hitler if the latter's mental derangement interferes with the Gestapo leaders plans for running Germany.

Dr. William Brown, director of experimental psychology at Oxford University and adviser to the British government on the psychological aspects of Nazism believes that Himmler may consider a dead Hitler more valuable to him than a live but mad fuehrer.

In a report on the latest trend in the mentality of Nazi leadership, Dr. Brown said:

"They (the Nazis) are preparing now for the deification of Hitler.

"If Hitler get uncontrollable, I think Himmler will kill him.

Must Strangle Myth

"The Hitler myth is in process of being born, and it must be strangled at birth. Something ought to be done quickly to make the Germans realize to the full that one of their fundamental mistakes was to accept a lunatic as their leader and to allow the same tendency in their own minds to be caught up and swept along.

"Germany is going to be one of the great problems in the next generation—a problem which has to be dealt with in a strictly scientific way.

"The Nazi leaders are all of them abnormal people. They started on the wrong track and aroused the paranoid feeling in the nation.

"Hitler suffered from the paranoid tendency and he showed it very prominently in 1934 at the time of the clean up when he had his lover killed.

Nazi Germany Must Die

"Hitler suffered from repressed homosexuality, and his reactions both to Jewry and to Bolshevism were paranoid reactions. Hitler has always been in a state of defense.

"Germany won't die, but the present Nazi Germany must die. It is a strange interlude which must be settled once and for all, and the real Germany must emerge once again.

"To this problem of Germany you will find Germans themselves will contribute, and they will make very valuable contributions because they have seen things from the inside.

"If we attempt to divide Germany we shall do so at our peril. If we are going to deal with Germany, we must deal with her on sound psychological principles.'

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JAPAN'S THIRD LARGEST CITY IS FERTILE FIELD

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burst its old boundaries and now boasts an intricate system of modern factories sprawling for miles in all directions.

It is so important that the bomber command extended "maximum effort" in launching the first major strike against the city and fifth large bombing of the Jap mainland.

High hopes were held for the mission as the long train of planes began taking off into squally skies this morning.

Everything had been planned and timed with care similar to the launching of a naval task force.

Laboriously plotted weather forecasts, obtained in past days from a variety of sources, indicated comparatively good visibility for the flight.

For the first time in the Saipan-based B-29 campaign, the big planes were scheduled to come in over the target against strong westerly winds which had ranged as high as 200 miles an hour over Tokyo. In the Tokyo raids the winds had been behind the bombers and carried them along with such terrific speed, the bombardiers' aim had been badly disrupted.

It was conceded that approaching the target against the wind would be slower and consequently more hazardous but the planes were expected to get away with this stratagem due to the surprise element and the lack of practice by Nagoyan anti-aircraft gunners.

As an added factor in the surprise element, the pilots were instructed to approach slightly lower than in past raids to avoid leaving vapor trails which occur in higher altitudes. Nagoya had bene reconnoitered repeatedly in preparation for the attack.

The night before last two planes found the city, like Tokyo, blacked out and met neither aerial opposition nor flak in a 20-minute stay over the area.

HEAR SWEDEN MAY ENTER WAR

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succeed in applying the scorched earth policy to Norway, it will adversely affect all Scandanavia in the postwar period.

Would Hamper Nazis

The view prevails in British military circles that Sweden's entry into the war now could make the German position in northern and southern Norway untenable.

It is believed that it also probably would prevent the Germans from transferring to the Western Front any of the 18 divisions they are estimated to have in Norway.

The view is being expressed in British quarters that Germany now is in no position to divert sufficient forces to conquer Sweden, whose participation in the war would prove of valuable aid in the final defeat of Nazism.

Sweden is believed to have at least 19 infantry regiments, three cavalry, four tank, nine artillery and three anti-aircraft regiments. The Swedish air force also includes eighteen wings.

Some British papers have voiced the belief that Sweden's entry into the war now would curtail by a considerable extent the length of the European war.

NEW MAJOR JAP TARGET IS HIT BL U. S. BOMBERS

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referred to the attack as part of the "mounting aerial drive on enemy strategic targets."

Nagoya, a scant 165 miles southwest of Tokyo, is a city of small wooden houses, jam-packed in typical Japanese architectural fashion. Aside from its major industrial plants, it has few structures of fire-resistant wood or concrete.

The War department's initial announcement did not confirm enemy reports that the B-29's had struck widely against Tokyo, Jap-occupied Korea and Shikoku, as reported by Radio Tokyo.

Uneasy feelings which arose when a skeleton was found buried in a Dublin backyard have been allayed by the discovery that it was held together in some places by wire indicating it had once been used for anatomical study.

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Seventh Ward

LOCAL SEAMAN GETS COMMANDER'S PRAISE

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Conti, of 216 West Wabash avenue, have received a communication from C. A. Sullivan, Lieut. Commander U.S.N.R. New York, N. Y., under whom their son, Louis Patsy Conti, Shipfitter 3-c is serving aboard an L.T.S. 50.

Lt. Commander Sullivan states that Shipfitter Conti is serving honorably and in the best tradition of the naval service and was in both invasions of Normandy on June 6 and southern France on August 15, also that he is safe and sound.

Louis has been in the service one and a half years, and overseas eleven months.

DELIVERY SERVICE EXPANDED TODAY

According to word from Ed. McBride, superintendent of Mahoningtown post office, an attempt will be made today by the rural carrier out of that office to deliver mail on the paved roads of R. D. 7, but not on side roads as they are still impassible. There was no delivery on Tuesday on account of heavy fall of snow. Letter carriers in the ward will make one trip on their ruotes and cover as much as possible of a second trip. One trip was made on Tuesday.

LOCAL RURAL CARRIER PASSES AWAY TODAY

Word comes from Mahoningtown post office that Jesse Boak of Ray street, rural carrier out of that office, passed away this morning after a long illness. Mr. Boak served as carrier on R. D. 7 for about 22 years and was a veteran of World War I.

SEAMAN SON PROMOTED

Anthony Conti, Jr. has advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Conti, 216 West Wabash avenue, that he has been promoted from Seaman First Class to Fireman First Class. Anthony is serving somewhere in the Pacific, aboard a sub-chaser. He has been in the naval service fifteen months, and overseas since April.

L. A. TO O. R. C. THURSDAY

Mrs. Harry Rankin of 308 East Wallace avenue will be hostess on Thursday to the Ladies Auxiliary, Order of Railway Conductors. The meeting will take the form of a Christmas tureen dinner to be served at 1 o'clock.

GRAND AUXILIARY THURSDAY

At the Y. W. C. A. members of the Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will gather on Thursday for a tureen dinner at noon, followed by a Christmas party. There will be an election of officers.

SACRED HEART GROUP

Members of the Sacred Heart society of St. Lucy's church will have their election of new officers on Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the church basement with President Mrs. Angeline Garafalo in charge.

SCHOOL RESUMES

At Mahoning school sessions were resumed today after being closed Tuesday on account of the heavy fall of snow Monday evening and Tuesday morning.

BEAVER PATROL TONIGHT

This evening, at 7 o'clock, members of the Beaver Patrol of Boy Scout Troop V-4 will meet in the home of Joe Matteo, of 513 West Cherry street.

TO ELECT OFFICERS

Members of the Columbus auxiliary will meet this evening in Columbus hall, at 7 o'clock. There will be election of officers.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. Helen Herman, of R. D. 7, has been admitted to the New Castle hospital.

William Ford of 302½ North Cedar street, confined to his home with illness, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Emma Baxter, of West Wabash avenue, who has been ill for two weeks at her home, is much improved.

Sally Conti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Conti, of West Wabash avenue, is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Conti of West Wabash avenue, who have been confined to their home with illness, are somewhat improved.

G. H. Cook of 405 Newell avenue, who has been confined to his home with illness, is much improved, and has returned to his employment.

Mrs. Henry B. Sandifer of East Clayton street, who had been confined to her home with an attack of pleurisy for three weeks, is much improved.

Mrs. William Johnson and daughter Helen of Ebensburg are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lombardo and family, of 524 North Liberty street.

Flight Officer John J. Dachko has returned to Lone field, Dallas, Tex., after spending a week's furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Dachko, 109 Wilder avenue.

Salvadore Revolt Reported Spreading

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, Dec. 13.—(INS)—A revolt against the administration of President Osmin Aguirre in El Salvador which started three days ago in Ahuachapan province, is spreading rapidly to other parts of the nation, according to reports reaching Guatemala City today.

The radio station of the rebel forces, which identified itself as the "voice of liberation", said the seven colonels and 56 other officers of the Salvadorean army at the head of 6,000 troops, were leading the revolt.

ON FURLOUGH AFTER DUTY IN ICELAND

T-Sgt. William E. Johnson of Bessemer has arrived home on 21-day furlough after serving for the past 27 months in Iceland. He is visiting his father, J. A. Johnson of Bessemer.

At the end of his furlough Sgt. Johnson will report to Washington, D. C., for reassignment.

WIDESPREAD AIR ATTACKS ARE MADE ON JAPAN-KOREA

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1:30 p. m. (Japanese time). It also admitted that damage had been suffered but claimed that it was "slight".

The Domei dispatch declared that Japanese fighter planes intercepted the B-29's making the Nagoya-Hamamatsu raid and that they were "believed to have caused heavy losses to the enemy." The communique, however, restricted itself to the statement that "investigations are under way" to determine "the results achieved" by the interceptors.

Over Tokyo

In its dispatch reporting the raid on the Nagoya and Hamamatsu areas, Domei also said that "one or two enemy planes" had appeared over the Tokyo-Yokohama district, over the Hiroshima district, which is near the southern tip of Honshu, over "western Japan", and over the Keijo (Seoul) district of Korea. Keijo is in western Korea and is the capital.

A short time later the Tokyo home radio quoted an announcement issued by the Japanese army in Korea as saying that "three enemy planes" had "raided" western Korea for two hours from 11:30 a. m to. 1:30 p. m. (Japanese time). The announcement added, according to the broadcast, that because of the "powerful" Japanese air defense the attacking planes "fled over the seas to the south without accomplishing anything."

The broadcasts and Domei reports were recorded by the FCC.

Nagoya, site of vital Jap aircraft plants, and Hamamatsu are situated in the area affected by last week's severe earthquake which crumbled buildings and caused tidal waves to wash the east shores of Honshu.

The Tokyo admission of the new assaults by the big B-29's came two and one-half hours after U. S. 20th Air Force headquarters in Washington announced that Saipan-based superfortresses had been out on a new mission against the Jap home islands.

The report of the attacks on Nagoya and Hamamatsu came on the heels of a Tokyo assertion, recorded in Melbourne, according to Reuter, that aerial bombs had fallen on the grounds of Emperor Hirohito's imperial palace in the Jap capital. This report was entirely unsubstantiated in any other quarter.

TONS OF FLAMING STEEL ARE DROPPED UPON BUDAPEST

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Russians northeast of the city and the main section of Budapest after a terrific battle in which more than 400 Germans and Hungarians were killed and almost a score of Nazi tanks were crippled or burned.

Moscow revealed that in the fighting before Budapest the Red army had taken 1,850 prisoners on Dec 10 and 11, raising the total seized in that area in the six days beginning Dec. 5 to 7,540.

Panic In Budapest

(The American broadcasting station in Europe said that panic existed in the Hungarian capital as the Russians hammered at the rim of Budapest and that fighting between Germans and Hungarians patriots had broken out in several areas.)

(The London radio, in a broadcast heard by CBS, quoted a German reporter inside Budapest who said the roar of artillery duels "rolled over the city like constant thunder.")

(Col. Gen. Karoly Bereczky, Hungarian chief of staff, broadcast a last-ditch appeal to the citizens of Budapest to "take a gun from the hands of those who have fallen and participate in the common fight with our German brothers." Bereczky's broadcast, heard by the FCC, pledged himself to defend the city to the "last drop of blood.")

While the battle for Budapest raged at the gates of the city and its outer suburbs, other Soviet columns to the northeast smashed nearer the Bratislava gap on the approaches to Vienna.

Capture Rail Center

To the north of captured Miskolc the Soviets stormed and captured the important rail and highway town of Sajoszentpeter. At the same time other forces fighting some 40 miles northeast of Budapest and approximately 60 miles west southwest of Miskolc seized the towns of Loc and Rimoc to form the second arm of a giant pincers which threatened to envelop Nazi positions in the Matro and Buekk mountains.

In Czechoslovakia, the Soviet thrust toward Kassa and the German supply routes through the Carpathians into occupied Poland engulfed another 10 towns and villages.

Weather Hampers Drive

MOSCOW, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Torrential rains and strongly-prepared defenses in the outskirts of the city slowed the Soviets drive into Budapest today.

The Germans, taking advantage of a deluge which swamped the battlefields in the outskirts of the Hungarian capital, stepped up the intensity of their delaying action in Budapest to give the Wehrmacht time to regroup its defenses of Vienna.

The Germans obviously have become convinced that the fall of Budapest is now a matter of days. The Moscow radio today reported that the Nazis fear even Vienna soon would fall before the tide of the Red Army advance. A Russian commentator said Gestapo chief Heinrich Himmler had ordered vauable machinery brought from Hungary to Vienna, to be moved to points of greater safety within the Reich.

Meanwhile north of Budapest, Russian spearheads now are only 85 miles from the Bratislava Gap and the Austrian frontier. In the fighting before Budapest the Second Ukrainian army was reported by Moscow to have seized the stronghold of Godollo, 11½ miles northeast of Budapest.

In 1916 Dr. Lee De Forest perfected the radio audion tube, which made voice transmission by wireless or radio possible.

All Nurses Aides To Attend Party At Jameson, Dec. 17

Red Cross Aides Of Jameson And New Castle Hospitals To Be Be Present In Uniform

It is announced a special party is being given by the staff of Jameson Memorial hospital on Sunday afternoon, December 17, in the nurses home for all Red Cross nurses aides of this city, beginning at 2 o'clock. Sisters of the New Castle hospital and others will be guests.

The occasion has been planned in appreciation of the aides' services, and of the tremendous job they have done and are doing in a professional manner at the New Castle and Jameson Memorial hospitals. Aides are to be present in uniform for the informal program and party on this date.

A hightlight will be the awarding of service stars to aides having served 800 hours of more since the time they completed their training. There are now over 100 active nurses aides giving free of their time to both hospitals. Additional training classes will be started for more aides after the Yule holiday period.

Dental Society Elects Officers

Dr. Charles Goldstein Of Pittsburgh Is Speaker At Regular Meeting

Annual election of officers took place at the regular meeting of the Lawrence County Dental society held Tuesday evening at The Castleton.

President, Dr. T. K. Hess; vice-president, Dr. H. Plant; secretary-treasurer, Dr. S. P. Zaremba.

Following the election, the group heard an interesting talk given by Dr. Charles Goldstein of Pittsburgh, who discussed "Periodontal Treatments". Dr. Goldstein explained the procedures.

Bessemer Schools Re-Open Thursday

Grade School Operetta Will Be Presented At The School Friday Evening

Bessemer public schools, which have been closed for two days, due to inclement weather, will re-open Thursday morning, according to Principal Chandler McMillen.

The grade school operetta, "The Legend of the Snow Man", will be shown to the student body at an assembly program Thursday afternoon. It will be presented again Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the school for parents and school patrons.

The operetta is under the direction of Mrs. Florence Brown, assisted by the grade school teachers.

Dentists Set Up Health Program

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The Pennsylvania Association of Dental Surgeons today considered a national health program to insure adequate medical and dental care for all at an estimated cost of $10 per person annually.

The plan outlined at a meeting of the PADS in the Quaker City by Dr. E. R. Coffey of Philadelphia's U. S. public health service, would be financed by federal taxation or by increased social security contributions at a cost of $14,000,000,000 in the first decade after the war.

ST. JOSEPH'S SODALITY

There will be a meeting of the Young Ladies Sodality of St. Joseph's church, Friday evening, December 15, at 7:30 o'clock, with prefect, Pauline Peluso in charge. Plans for a Christmas party will be made.

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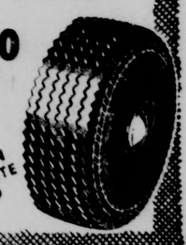
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Girl Wins Four Championships In Livestock Show

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—It was Rosemary Sauder's first year in 4-H club work, but that didn't keep her from walking off with four championships for her Hereford baby beeves in the contest at the Pittsburgh Livestock Show.

The Cable, O., high school junior's 760-pound pure bred steer won first in the lightweight class and then went on to win the breed championship. Another entry, a 1,190-pounder, took first in his class and then won the reserve breek championship.

Ronald Leachman, Sonora, O., won the Aberdeen Angus championship with a 770-pound steer, while the reserve title went to Billy Swisher, Lost Creek, W. Va., with a 1,035-pound entry.

Reading Street Car-Bus Strike Still In Progress

READING, Pa., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Approximately 150,000 persons in the Reading area continued without bus and street car transportation today as Army and Regional War Labor Board representatives began an investigation of the strike of 240 Reading maintenance men and operators.

Officials of the Reading Street Railway company said they were not informed as to the cause of the day-old strike, and the Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes, AFL, representing the striking men, remained silent.

A. J. Stratton, president of the firm, said, however, that a contract dispute between the company and union is now pending before the Regional War Labor Board.

The largest single country in the world is Russia. It has an area of 8,166,130 square miles.

IN U. S. ARMED SERVICE

(War Censorship Regulations Limit Information Allowed In This Column)

Staff Sergeant Keith N. Armstrong, 1001 Beckford street, has been assigned as an instructor at Alexandria Army Air Field, a Flying Fortress combat crew training center at Alexandria, Louisiana. S-Sgt. Armstrong, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Armstrong, served overseas with a year, winning the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, the Purple Heart, and an Presidential citation.

Pvt. Clinton R. Turner, of Volant, is one of the men who fought for eighty-six days and nights from the beaches of Southern France to the wet foothills of the Vosges mountains, after fighting in Sicily, and at Salerno and Anzio.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Covert, of Maryland avenue, have finally received a letter from their son, Pvt. Thomas E. Covert, stationed with the Medical Corps in the Philippines. This is the first word they have had from him since September 12

Frank N. Johnston, of Northview avenue, has been informed that his son, Pfc. Robert G. Johnston, has arrived in England.

Thomas E. Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kennedy of Huron avenue, has been sent to the Naval Training School at Sampson, N. Y. A brother, Marine Cpl. William D. Kennedy, is in the Southwest Pacific, while another brother, T-Sgt. John T. Kennedy, is stationed at Camp Rucker, Alabama. A sister, Shirley, is a cadet nurse at the Jameson hospital.

Pete Lombardo S. 2/c is on leave for 8 days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lombardo, of 524 North Liberty St. He is stationed at Great Lakes, Ill.

Don Keely, Seaman first class, has returned to active sea duty after a four day leave spent with his wife of Morton street, and his parents on Ray street.

Rudy Theis, of the Navy, is now aboard ship on active duty, according to word received by his wife who lives at 235 North Ray street.

Staff Sgt. William J. Jones, attached to infantry corps, is on 10 days furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan J. Jones, of Wilmington avenue. Sgt. Jones recently returned from 10 months service in the Panama Canal Zone. At the conclusion of his furlough he goes to Fort Benning, Ga., for further training.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gilson of Stanton avenue have received word that their son, Cpl. George R. Gilson, has arrived in Germany. They have two other sons overseas, Pfc. Elmer Gilson, with the Fifth Army in Italy, and Pfc. Clyde Gilson, in Saipan.

Pvt. Harry R. Green, U. S. M. C., has arrived at an overseas destination, according to word received by his wife, of Highland Heights.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Grimm, 448 Court street, that their son, Lieut. Arthur Grimm, pilot in the air force, has arrived in Italy.

Official Returns On State Election

President Roosevelt Has 105,431 Majority Over Governor Dewey, Count Shows

HARRISBURG, Dec. '3.—(INS)—Pennsylvania voters were revealed by the state elections bureau today to have given President Roosevelt's fourth term strong endorsement in the November 7 election when 3,539,661 civilian and 255,216 soldier votes were cast.

Official returns released by the bureau showed that Mr. Roosevelt received a 105,431 majority over Republican Gov. Thomas E. Dewey.

The Roosevelt-Truman slate polled 1,793,659 civilian and 146,820 soldier votes while the Dewey-Bricker ticket garnered 1,727,259 home front votes and 107,789 GI ballots.

In the U. S. senatorial race, Cong Francis J. Myers, (D) Philadelphia, was given a 23,589 vote majority over Republican incumbent James J. Davis, of Pittsburgh.

Myers, a loyal supporter of the president, polled 1,734,269 civilian and 130,253 soldier ballots while Davis, making his third bid for the senate post, received 1,721,857 home votes and 119,081 votes from servicemen and women.

Memorial Service For John R. Shields

Sunday Service To Honor Slippery Rock Man Killed In Action At Saipan

A service to honor the memory of Flight Officer John R. Shields, killed in action at Saipan, will be conducted Sunday afternoon, December 17, at 2:30 o'clock at the Zion Baptist church, Worth township. Rev. Carl A. Jones, pastor of the church, will be in charge of the service. F. O. Shields was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shields, of Slippery Rock, R. D. 2.

A graduate of Muddy Creek township high school, F. O. Shields, aged 23 years, enlisted in the Air Corps, March, 1942. After completing his training at Childers Air Field, Tex., he was sent to Hawaii. Later he was transferred to Saipan, where he was killed in action August 14, 1944.

Before entering the service, F. O. Shields was employed at the Shelby Tube company, Ellwood City.

Survivors in addition to his parents include four brothers, Ernest and Russell Shields, both of Slippery Rock, W. Arthur Shields, Edenburg, R. D. 1, and Pvt. Fred Shields, stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.; two sisters, Aline Shields, a cadet nurse at the Jameson Memorial hospital, and Leila Shields, at home; and grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Humphrey, of Slippery Rock.

Accident Victim In Same Condition

New Castle Hospital authorities report the condition of Mrs. Helen Kraner, of Shenango township, to be the same during the night and this morning.

Mrs. Kraner was seriously injured on Monday afternoon when a shot gun was accidentally discharged by her son, the shot striking her in the leg at close range.

Health Talks

By DR. W. A. WOMER
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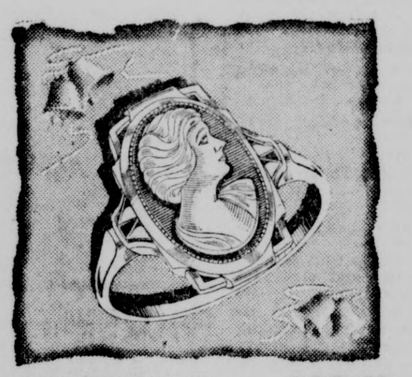
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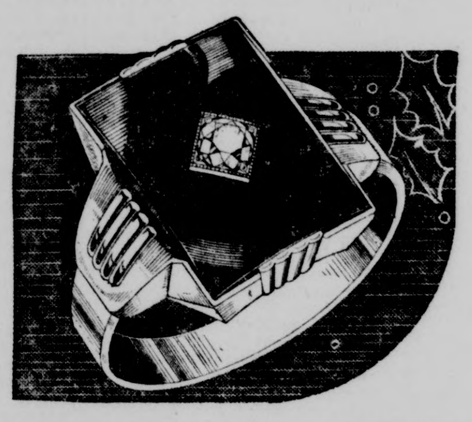
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WARNS AGAINST FALSE PROPHETS

SHARON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Insurance Commissioner Gregg L. Neel warned American youth today of the dangers of "false prophets" who would sell you "economic freedom in exchange for political freedom".

"These false prophets of future security would have you believe that some all-wise bureaucracy knows much better than you what you should eat, what you should wear, what you should do, and, in the final analysis, what you should think," Neel told members of the Sharon Protected Home Circle last night.

"We are now engaged in a war for our very existence," he stated. "The United States is winning this war because of the super-strategy of co-ordinating the production of materials, the transportation of men and weapons, and the campaigning of powerful armies.

"We will continue to go forward only so long as an increasingly enlightened citizenry, well informed in what history has to teach us, alert to the significance of the issues that confront us, are able to think beyond narrow prejudices," Neel asserted.

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PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—For the first time in history, Pittsburghers today faced the possibility they may have to pay a "poor tax".

Heretofore support of the city indigent was paid out of the city budget, but, it was explained by Allegheny county commissioners, the county is taking over and combining the Mayview and Woodville institutions January 1 and a separate tax will be levied to keep them going.

The $1,000,000 yearly which came out of the city budget will be diverted to other uses, it was added.

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County Group To Leave Soon

Larger Quota Is Assigned County Board Two For Induction During December

Selective Service board two of Lawrence county today listed the names of those men called up for induction during the month of December, and who will leave for training camp in the near future.

The quota for the month of December is larger than it has been for a number of months, reflecting the need for more manpower in the armed forces.

Those summoned for December induction are:

William Daniel Richard, R. D. 3, Euclid avenue.
George Chiaro, Hillsville.
Thomas William Phenicle, Edenburg.
Charles Kenneth Vanderslice, Akron, O.
George Blanchard Hall, 708 Cumberland avenue.
William Clyde Harry, Warren, O.
Angelo Anthony Papa, West Pittsburg.
John Joseph Quear, Bessemer.
Wilbur Milton Summers, Los Angeles, Calif.
John William Cameron, Jr., R. D. 3.
Mike D. Ambrosia, Struthers, O.
Michael Tumis, Smithfield street, R. D. 2.
James Gadzia, Hillsville.
Rudy Jordana, Cleveland, O.
Wallace Casmer Janiel, Bessemer.
Leroy Earl Shoaf, 197 Mills way.
Ralph Dean Lamson, R. D. 5.
Charles Homer Heasley, Akron, O.
Norman Charles Inboden, East Palestine, O.
James Short, Beaver Falls.
Joseph John Arena, Bessemer.
Philip James Francis Fabich, R. D. 2, Wampum.
Edward Clark Glidden, R. D. 5.
Eugene Carl Fleeger, R. D. 3.
Joseph James Cuzic, R. D. 2, Lowellville, O.
Richard Edward Mehocic, Bessemer.
Harold George Johnson, Bessemer.
Joseph Audley Simons, R. D. 3, Pulaski road.
John Ruzich, Hillsville.
Antonio Centofanti, R. D. 7, Mahoningtown.



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NEW GALILEE

Sgt. Charles Schoder of Illinois visited his uncle, John Yoho, on Monday.

Mrs. Richard Bittner and children spent the week-end at Youngstown.

Mrs. A. Lindner of Enon Valley was a Thursday visitor here.

Mrs. C. A. Forsythe, Mrs. John Yoho, Mary and Maggie Pullio, Mrs. B. Scherell and daughter and Mrs. C. Pierre were Saturday visitors in Beaver Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Massa of Koppel visited Saturday at the home of John Baroni.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kolsovic and family of Chippewa township spent Saturday at the home of Paul Mulig.

Miss Harrieit Forsythe and Miss B. Wallace of New Brighton visited Sunday at the home of C. A. Forsythe.

Annabelle Henry of Beaver spent the week-end with relatives here.

Lee Huffman and Harry Bable were Sunday visitors in Beaver Falls.

Dale Clemmer had the misfortune recently of having his house burn to the ground.

Mrs. James Trocinni and daughter Edith were in Beaver Falls on Saturday.

Library Rooms Restored To Use

Garden And Assembly Rooms In Public Library Repainted And Refinished

Work of repainting and refinishing the walls and flors of the two rooms in the basement of the Public Library, that for some months served as a control center of the OCD, has been completed Miss Alice Sterling, librarian, announced today.

Both the Garden Center room and the assembly room have had the walls freshly painted, the floors waxed and the furniture moved back into them.

On book shelves in the Garden Center room may be found both library and garden club books of interest to gardeners. Among them are beautifully illustrated volumes on flowers, books on flower arrangements, and practical books on garden culture.

Classes and discussion groups that have been meeting in the historical room of the library while the assembly room was given over to the OCD, may return to their former place of meeting now that the room has been renovated.

Lions Speaker Fails To Appear

Heavy Snowfall Prevents Appearance Of Former Mayor McNair Of Pittsburgh For Meeting

Tuesday's heavy snowfall prevented former Mayor William M. McNair, of Pittsburgh, from making his scheduled appearance at the weekly luncheon of New Castle Lions Club.

Reports on various activities were given. In the bond sale drive which was again participated in by two teams, representing the Lions Club, the team captained by Charles Ward reported sales of $53,734; while the team captained by Sam Rashid, reported $74,860.75. In addition, there were sales totaling $9,181, which have not been accredited as yet to either team.

It was announced that the annual Christmas party for the blind people of the community will take place in Epworth Methodist church at 7 o'clock on Thursday, December 28. The a capella choir of senior high school will present the program. Chairman Lumley reported a gift of $100 from Fred L. Rentz, his annual contribution to the blind fund.

Cpl. Karl G. Walters, who is home on a month's furlough after completing a tour of duty with the U. S. Marine Corps in the Pacific area, spoke about American Samoa where he spent over nine months. He saw action on Bougainville and Guam. Pfc. Edward M. Levine, who is stationed at Tinker Field, Okla., spoke on some of his experiences there. He is in a B-29 outfit.

Roger Jewett, executive vice president of the Greater New Castle Association, spoke about the number of new industries which have located here since 1942, nine out of 11 of which have already greatly expanded their facilities and he pointed out that the outlook for post-war development is good.

November Report Of Neighborhood House

Report for the month of November of the Neighborhood House as submitted by Miss Christine Butler at a meeting of the Americanization committee at the Y. W. C. A. on Saturday evening is as given below.

Fifty-three calls were made.

Fifty-one are enrolled in the sewing class. Nine of the citizenship class passed citizenship tests. Girls of the Friday sewing class worked to finish sewing for Christmas. Several new members enrolled in the Bible study class.

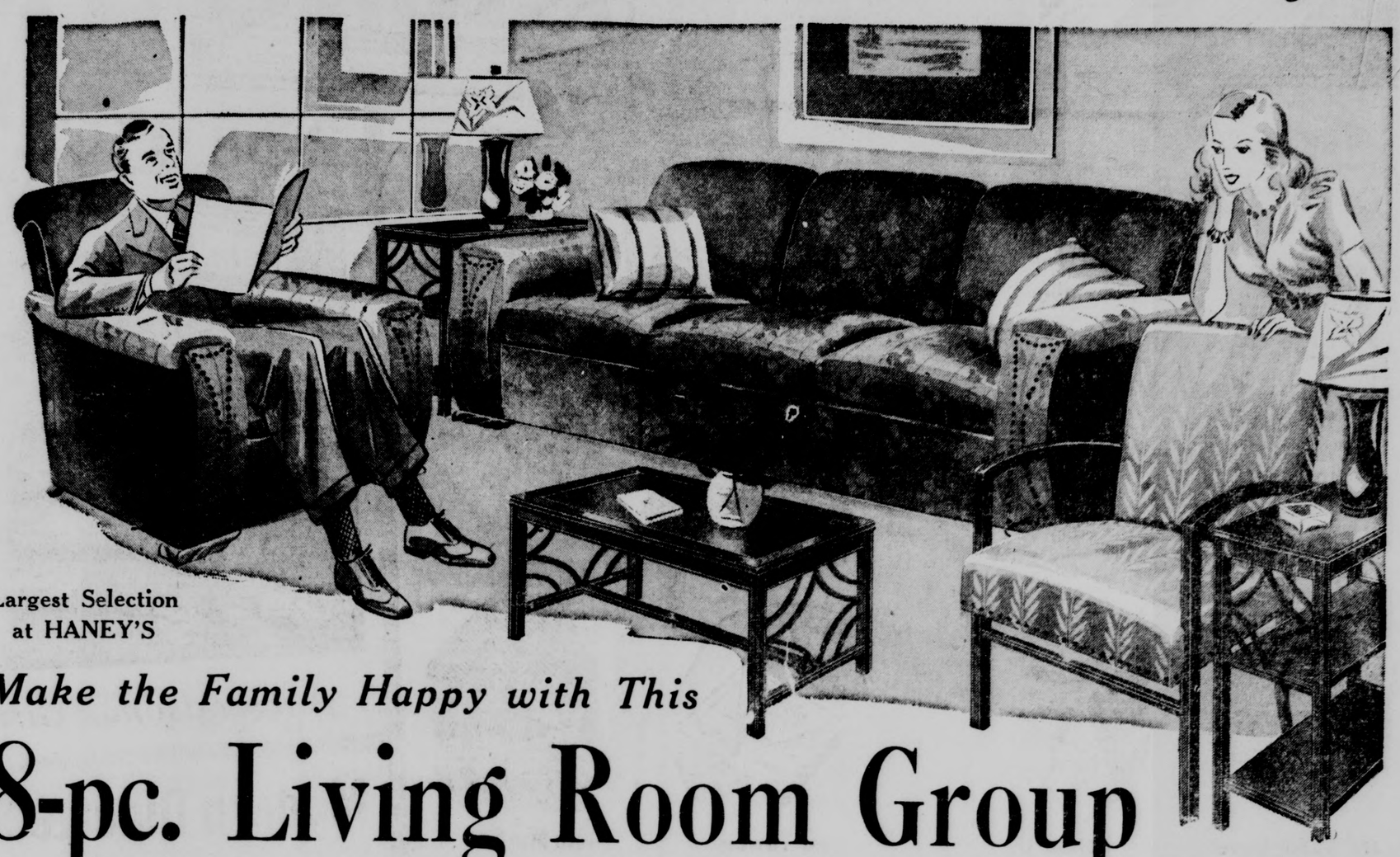
Twenty boys of the Neighborhood House from 10-15 will spend Saturday afternoons at the Y. M. C. A. in acceptance of the Y. M.'s offer.

Boys class of the Sunday school taught by Miss Jean Butler won the banner for the best average attendance during the month. Attendance averaged 77%. In planning a Christmas program for the Sunday school, Miss Virginia Roberts class of girls will assist and each will take part.

Eighteen boys attended the Boys club November social.

Mrs. Ralph Weide, Mrs. Ollie Moorehead, Miss Mary Moorehead, Miss Thelma Merilees, Miss Hannah Walker, Miss Margaret Laughlin, Highland U. P. and Northside Community Sabbath school were donors to Neighborhood House during the month.

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By Extension Representatives, LEWIS C. DAYTON, Agriculture; MISS LAURA PHILLIPPI, Home Economics

SOIL MANAGEMENT MEETING

Benefits of farming on the contour, or strip farming as it is commonly known, will be explained by extension specialists of the Pennsylvania State College on December 19, at the county-wide soil management meeting in New Castle. The meeting will be held in the Court House, New Castle, with morning and afternoon sessions.

Many farmers have been practicing good management for soil erosion control without knowing it, although recently increased attention is being given to the contour strip farming methods. Use of long-time pastures, cover crops and fertilizer, crop rotations, reforestation, and strip farming all are features of a program to avoid loss of topsoil by erosion.

The simplicity of laying out a particular farm for strip farming will be explained at the county-wide meeting, as well as the used of home-made devices for properly arranging slopes for crops in proper sequence. Saving of the soil nutrients, holding moisure and even the soil itself on hilly land will be outlined by the speakers, who will use color slides to illustrate their topics.

Proper land uses and location of pastures on erodable or poor land, as well as improvement of that land, wil lfeature the soil management meeting, open to all farmers interested.

Many Lawrence county farmers could improve yields and at the same time build up the soil for future crops by farming sloping fields on the contour, and the ease with which such slopes can be arranged will be explained in detail at the meeting.

FARMERS MUST MAKE INCOME TAX ESTIMATE

Farmers are required to make at least an estimate income tax return by January 15 and can simplify the task by assembling well in advance of that date all the records of their 1944 business.

This step is preliminary to a final report by March 15. Or, if his records are up-to-date and in order, he may make his final report by January 15. If he does this, no later report is necessary. By assembling the records now he will avoid the usual last-minute rush.

The law requires a declaration of estimated tax of all farmers whose gross incomes were $500 or more for 1944.

HOLIDAY TREAT

Lemon Soda Drops—Makes about 3 dozen cookies:

1½ cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
⅓ cup shortening
2 tablespoons grated lemon rind or lemon extract
¾ cup sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla.

Sift flour, baking powder and salt. Blend shortening and rind; add sugar gradually, creaming well. Add eggs and flavoring; beat well. Add dry ingredients, mixing thoroughly. Drop from teaspoon onto greased baking sheet, allowing room for spreading. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 12 to 15 minutes.

SELF-HELP CLOTHING AIDS CHILDREN IN DRESSING

Parents like to have their children appear well-dressed and children themselves enjoy knowing that they are well-dressed. One would think children are too young to know that clothes may even affect their feelings, but according to Miss Marguerite Little, extension child care specialist of the Pennsylvania State College, children realize the difference clothes may make in their feelings. Perhaps this may come from the way other people treat them.

Children who are just learning to dress get a feeling of independence and self-assurance if they are able to manage their own clothes. Sometimes parents are reluctant to put self-help features in their child's clothing fearing that these will make the clothes unattractive. However, this need not be the case. Some self-help features are front openings, large buttons or zippers, and stitched-on belts on trousers.

For active children, clothing should be loose, not binding. Raglan sleeves, no belts, short dresses and trousers, wide elastic webbing (when available), roomy neck openings, and fullness across the chest help to make clothing comfortable for children.

Grandma Switches Millions of Mothers To Her Mutton Suet Idea For Chest Colds

Newer Relief For Children's Colds' Coughs, Bronchial Irritation and Chest Muscle Tightness Being Hailed Everywhere.

Pioneer grandma liked to "rub" her children's colds with a "home rub" containing mutton suet. Such a rub was her "old reliable" for relieving chest muscle tightness, soothing bronchial irritation, loosening phlegm, checking coughing, easing sting of chapped lips and nostrils. Today science has modernized this principle with Penetro, the salve with a base containing this same old fashioned mutton suet, plus 5 active ingredients—so now Grandma's old idea is switching millions to this newer relief.

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NEWS ON COURT HOUSE HILL

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Daniel A. Rossi, R. D. 1, Boyer, Pa. Eleanor Bucci, R. D. 1, Volant.

Clayton Blatt, 2104 Harrison street, Givenhurst, Del. Maxine R. Owens, 509 Logan avenue New Castle.

TREASURER IS SNOW BOUND

County Treasurer Frank W. Hill came up Tuesday with the best alibi for staying out all night we have heard in some time. Mr. Hill had some work to do in his office and sometime near midnight went out to get into his car. He got in all right but the car didn't get out of the court house parking lot.

A janitor unlocked one of the jury bedrooms and Mr. Hill spent the night there.

GUILTY OF ASSAULT

David Upshaw, tried on Monday for robbery and assault and battery was found not guilty of the robbery charge but guilty of the assault and battery charge. The case of burglary against David Tyler went to trial Tuesday. This was the last case on the docket.

JUROR DIDN'T MAKE IT

The snow storm was responsible for David Upshaw being tried by a jury of eleven men or at least having his verdict rendered by a short jury. James E. Boak of the Frew Mill road was unable to get to the court house on Tuesday and by agreement the eleven other jurors took the case.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Grace L. Chambers and others to Wayne E. Davis Wampum, $1.

Hazel Miller Kelley and others to Helen D. Ross and wife, 2nd ward, $1.

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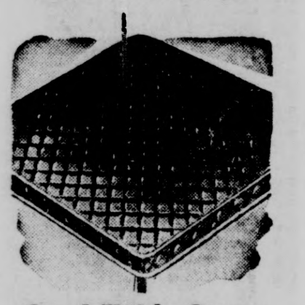
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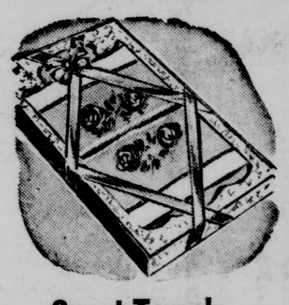




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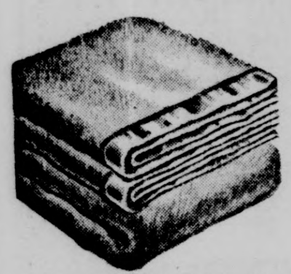
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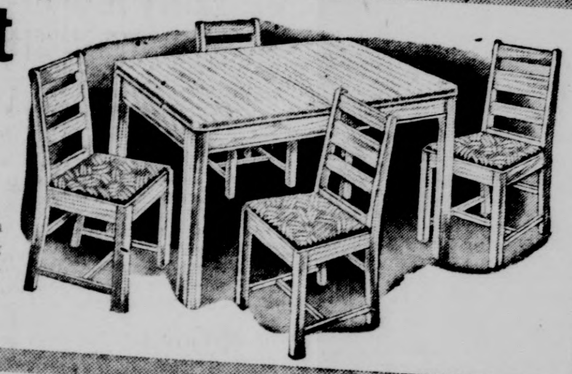
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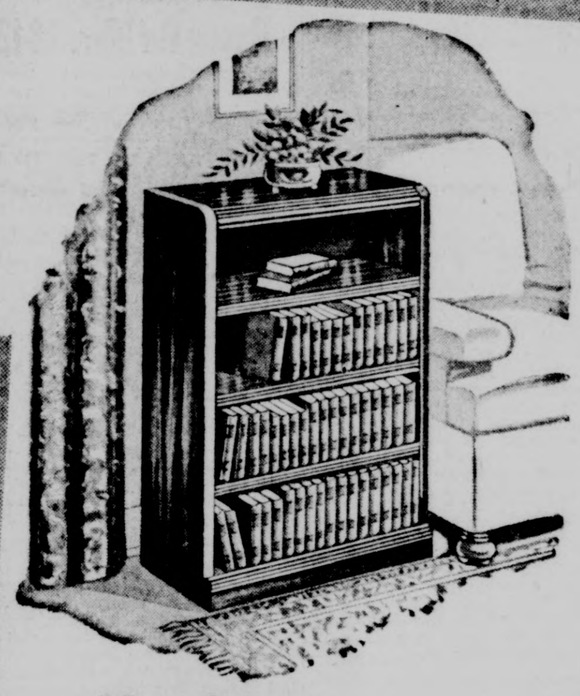


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Aim To Prevent Weapons Being Made In Germany

By LEON PEARSON
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—A system of controls over German industry, aimed at preventing manufacture of weapons of war without choking off the earning power of the country was under study today by the European advisory commission in London.

Washington officials who are sending almost daily dispatches to London on the American plans for postwar Germany said today that a complete dismantling of German industry is now out of the question, and that none of the four powers who are members of the commission supports such a proposal.

This seemed to write off forever the so-called Morgenthau plan which three months ago was the subject of heated controversy.

Eliminate Munitions Plants

Instead of scrapping German industry, it is now proposed to eliminate only those industries such as the Krupp Works which are directly engaged in manufacture of munitions.

Other industries, even if capable of conversion to munitions, would be allowed to continue—but with rigid controls to prevent such conversion from taking place again.

Officials explained the current view in the European advisory commission, where France is now represented, in addition to the United States, Great Britain and Russia. In substance, that view is as follows:

Heavy Reparations

1. Demands will be made on Germany for heavy reparations, especially by the countries which have been invaded and impoverished by the Nazi armies.

2. Such reparations cannot be paid unless Germany is permitted to operate industries and make money.

3. Industries can be controlled to prevent conversion to arms production.

Proposals are now under study by the commission for control of German industry without requiring a great staff of inspectors in all the industrial plants of the country.

One proposal calls for control of German coal production and use, since coal is the principal source of power in Germany. Another calls for control of exports and imports, with special attention to alloys.

Though no final decisions have been made by the commission, officials acknowledge that plans are shaping up for permitting, and even assisting the revival of Germany as an industrial power—under controls which would last even beyond the years of military occupation.

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Navy Expansion Is Huge Issue

More Than 40,000 Vessels Will Be Added To Navy In 1944 Building Program

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The house naval affairs committee disclosed today that more than 40,000 vessels will be added to the United States fleet in 1944, indicating the phenomenal speed at which the American navy is expanding under wartime pressure.

In a two-year report filed with the house, the committee revealed that the navy is spending one million dollars every hour in the year for construction of ships.

This year marked the peak for the naval shipbuilding program, it was stated, the high-water mark being reached last May when 4,506 naval ships were delivered into service. Totalling 411,237 tons, the ships cost 830 million dollars. The present total authorized strength of the navy is 5,299,000 tons.

Tech. W. McClelland Wounded In Action

Union Township Soldier Seriously Wounded In Belgium; Union High Graduate

Word has been received from the War Department by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McClelland of R. D. 2, Youngstown road, advising them that their son, Technician Fifth Grade William E. McClelland, was seriously wounded in action in Belgium on November 29.

Tech. McClelland has been in the service since December, 1942, and is attached to the anti-aircraft service. He is a graduate of Union high school class of 1940.

A brother, Seaman First Class H. Duane McClelland, is attached to U. S. Navy.

Annabelle Emery In College 'Who's Who'

Chemistry Major In Thiel College Junior Class Accorded Collegiate Honor

Miss Annabelle Emery, junior at Thiel college, has been chosen as one of the college students whose biographies will appear in the 1944-45 edition of the Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities. Word of her selection was received from the University of Alabama.

Miss Emery, who is a chemistry major at Thiel, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Emery, of 410 Neshannock avenue. She is a graduate of New Castle high school.

TRUCKERS MEETING IS POSTPONED TO FRIDAY EVENING

J. Fred Clarke, president of Lawrence county chapter, Pennsylvania Motor Truck association, announced today that the class in traffic relations scheduled for the senior high school Thursday night, Dec. 14, has been postponed until Friday night, Dec. 15, at 7:30. The class is sponsored by Penn State.

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Large Stalk Pascal Celery 21c	Baby White Fish .. lb. 25c
8 Lb. Bag Oranges 59c	Halibut Steak ..... lb. 43c
10 Lb Bag Cooking Onions 39c	Red Salmon Steak ..... lb. 43c

Say President In Accord With Policy In Greece

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Disclosure that Soviet Russia approved in advance Great Britain's present militaristic policy in Greece and that President Roosevelt "initialled" the program during the Quebec conference was made today by Ernest Bevin, minister of labor in the cabinet of Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

Bevin spoke at the British Labor party's annual conference and revealed that he, as well as other Laborites, had approved the British government's stand.

(Editor's note: An exclusive International News Service dispatch from London on Monday reported that Soviet Premier Joseph Stalin had given Churchill a "free hand" to deal with the situation in Greece.)

Addressing the conference before the party, by a vote of 2,445,000 to 137,000, adopted a resolution calling on the government to take steps to facilitate an armistice in Greece without delay, Bevin said:

"After consultation with the Soviet Union by the British government, Russia agreed to look after Romania and Britain after Greece.

"President Roosevelt personally initialled the agreement which described in detail the steps which the British proposed to take in Greece . . .

"Labor ministers took part in all discussions and shared this responsibility with Mr. Churchill.

"The steps which have been taken in Greece are the decisions of the cabinet. I took part with my Labor colleagues in the whole of these discussions over nearly four years. I say to the public that I am a party to the decisions, I cannot bring it to my conscience that any of the decisions was wrong."

During the session, every reference critical of the government's action in Greece was greeted with loud and prolonged cheering.

SLED-RIDING TO START TONIGHT

Mayor John F. Haven and council colleagues today convened informally in the mayor's office and decided that sled-riding will start tonight on as many of the streets used last winter as possible. James Gibson, director of streets, promised to work the scraper on as many of those thoroughfares as possible. Guards will be paid $1.50 each night they work.

It was decided that Arthur Alexander, recreation director of the city would have charge of the sledding this winter.

F. T. Sargent, OCD co-ordinator, who handled the program so well last winter will provide him with all the assistance possible according to D. O. Davies, safety director.

TAYLOR IS FAVORED

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—State Sen. M. Harvey Taylor, of Harrisburg, Republican state chairman, was selected unanimously by his colleagues today to be their candidate for president pro tempore of the Senate.

Taylor, who was elected to the upper chamber in 1940, succeeds Sen. Charles H. Ealy, of Somerset, who held the post for two terms.

The selection of Taylor was tantamount to election because the GOP controls the Senate 32 to 18.

LIEUT. SHROYER WOUNDED

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Secretary of Highways John U. Shroyer disclosed today that his 28-year-old son, George W. Shroyer, an artillery lieutenant, was wounded in action while fighting with the U. S. Third Army in France.

Shroyer said the war department reported his son's wounds were suffered November 26.

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Main Highways Closed By Snow

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Precarious driving conditions in the wake of a blizzard which swept most of Pennsylvania have made many roads impassable, the highways department announced today.

The following main highways were reported closed: Beaver county, traffic route 68 between Unionville and Zelienople; Somerset county, route 31 from Brotherton to the Bedford county line; Westmoreland county, traffic route 66 between Greensburg and Delmonte.

Cambria county, U. S. route 219 between Mundy's Corner and Johnstown and route 36 between Hastings and Asheville.

Cigaret Ceilings Based On Mar. 1942

Ceiling prices on cigarettes have been set at the selling price during the base-period, March, 1942, plus one cent to take care of the half-cent federal tax, according to an announcement from the Price Panel Board.

When selling two packs, however, or multiples of two, the retailer is allowed to add only the half-cent tax charged by the government. Ceiling prices of popular brands of cigarettes are therefore set at 17 cents for a single pack, or 16½ cents each for two packs.

Economy brands are under a 14 cents ceiling for a single pack, or 13½ cents each for two.

MORE SNOW IN OHIO

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 13.—Snow flurries and continued brisk winds were forecast today to add to the distress and inconvenience heaped onto Ohio by the heaviest snowstorm in years. At least 12 deaths attributable to the storm were reported in the Buckeye state.

As the state slowly dug out from under snow falls that reached 13-inch depths in places, new snow was expected to hamper a return to normal of transportation, war plant production and other activities affected by the storm.

Air transportation was resumed last night after a lapse of 36 hours.

BOND SALES OVER TOP

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The 19-county Fort Pitt area today went "over the top" in the sale of all types of bonds for the Sixth War Loan drive, although E bond sales still lagged at 61.2 per cent of quota.

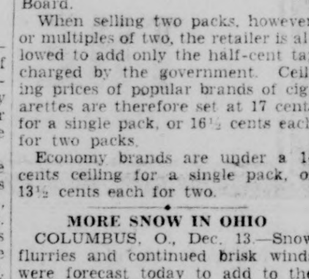
The War Finance Committee reported that sales of all types of bonds thus far totaled $293,809,000 or 100.7 per cent of quota.

Sales of all types of individual bonds, including E's, were reported at $83,926,400, or 74.2 per cent of quota.

"NUBBINS" RECOVERING

DENVER, Dec. 13.—Three-year-old Forest (Nubbins) Hoffman, who observed Christmas November 19, when his parents thought he might not live until December 25, probably will be taken to his home in Cheyenne, Wyo., this week from a Denver hospital.

An operation to correct congenital bladder ailment has been pronounced successful by doctors.


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DAWN SURPRISE ATTACK IS MADE BY FIRST ARMY

(Continued from Page One)

divisions resisted as rear guard forces while the enemy's main body withdrew into Rhine river Siegfried line defenses.

The Seventh Army smashed forward toward the Rhine's west bank from points as close as one mile from the water's edge.

The Yank Third Army, hammering persistently along the Saar river front above Saarbrucken, outflanked and captured Siegfried line strongpoints about a mile north of Dillingen, front dispatches said.

Capture of the Siegfried line strong point by the Third Army men under command of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton was effected despite numerous Nazi-counter-attacks against the Yank bridgehead on the east side of the Saar at Dillingen.

Yank artillery broke up the majority of the German counter-thrusts against bridgehead positions.

The Seventh, under command of Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, crashed forward along a 45-mile front, swinging up against the Saar from the south.

(A fierce tank battle was in progress, according to the German transocean agency, near Woerth Alsatian town near the Reich border 32 miles southeast of Sarreguemines.

Nazis Yield Ground

(Transocean admitted that the Nazis had to yield some ground between Sarreguemines and the German-held bastion of Bitche.

("At least 14 U. S. infantry and armored divisions are now battling for a way out of the woods of the lower Vosges and the fierce tank battle near Woerth is still raging unabated this morning," transocean said.)

Armor and infantry forces of the Seventh drove into Selz, near the Rhine, in the push toward Karlsruhe after crashing the Maginot line defenses and outflanking the Haguenau forest. An eight-mile advance was scored in the maneuver.

At numerous points the Seventh hurled spearheads to within five miles of the Franco-German border.

Batter Rail Targets

As the advance on Karlsruhe progressed American fighter-bombers battered Nazi railway targets between Landau and Karlsruhe.

Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' First Army east of Aachen battled to within little more than a mile of the German Roer river supply base of Duren after overrunning several villages in the Reich.

Yank infantry shoved ahead through chill muck against stubborn and defiant Nazi rearguard resistance put up to protect the main body of their forces dropping back across the Roer.

A few Germans still clung to positions in the villages of Derichsweiler, Gey and Mariaweiler despite an earlies official report that these points had been cleared of enemy forces.

On the Ninth Army front immediately above that held by the First, fires followed by loud explosions were observed near Wurm and also east of Linnich.

Panzer Division Battles

Headquarters revealed that the Germans had aligned the Fifth panzer division command by Gen. Eccard Von Manteuffel along the First and Ninth fronts.

The spectacular advances of the Seventh kept Gen. Patch's forces in the spotlight of western front action.

The onslaught forced the Germans to fall back on their next line of defense in the Siegfried fortifications after the Haguenau defenses were cracked. The enemy units were cleared from a number of towns in the Rhine valley corridor between the Haguenau forest and the Rhine river.

In the push toward Bitche, the Seventh took the town of La Frohmuhl, four miles west of Bitche.

In other Third Army action, the 95th Infantry moved ahead a half mile in Fraulautern, northwestern suburb of Saarlautern. Fortified houses in Saarlautern, Roden and Ensdorf also were seized.

The 35th Division repulsed German counter-blows northeast of Saareguemines, where a new penetration into Germany was made.

Yank forces which entered Bliesbruck, just over the Reich border, but then withdrew to enable airmen to bomb Nazi strongpoints, re-entered the town.

Gen. Patch employed at least five divisions in a simultaneous push toward the Saar border along a front of some 45 miles. One veteran Yank unit of the Seventh hit to within three miles of the German border at Lambach, a sector of the Maginot line where only sporadic resistance was encountered.

At a point where Gen. Patch's men are stationed on the right flank of the Third Army, the Yanks pushed into the town of Petit Rederching, also three miles from the German frontier. The Nazis were cleared from the town after a stiff fight.

The break-through of Maginot line positions which carried the Seventh to Seltz still was developing, front reports said, although resistance in Seltz itself was reported strong.

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Vacation Starts But Many Students Are Delayed In Getting Out Of Town

(Special To The News)

NEW WILMINGTON, Dec. 13.—It may be vacation, but many Westminster students are resigning themselves to at least another day in snow-bound New Wilmington.

A few have been filtering out of town, but most have been left stranded by the lack of bus service yesterday and today. The road between New Wilmington and Sharon is blocked in two places, preventing buses from Sharon from getting through, and a Harmony Short Line bus did not arrive until noon.

Taxis ran from New Castle to New Wilmington and back all during the night, taking students to meet trains, and cars and station wagons are being pressed into service today.

College authorities were hoping that the Pittsburgh bus would be used to shuttle back and forth between New Wilmington and New Castle to get south-bound students to trains or other buses.

Those whose homes are in the Oil City-Franklin area, and other northern sections, are being advised to remain at school for several days. Dormitories will be kept open and meals will be served in the dining rooms as long as it is necessary for students to stay at the school.

NAZI PRISONERS OF WAR STRIKE

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Military authorities looked today for an early break in the strike of 1,300 Nazi prisoners of war held at Fort Sheridan.

Unless the strike is ended and the prisoners' punishment is mitigated, this will be their daily menu, including their Christmas dinner:

Bread and water (all they wish to drink).

After this repast they will be permitted a brisk walk around their prison enclosure.

The Nazis were placed on the bread and water regimen for 14 days by Maj. E. R. Schuelke, commander of the POW camp, when they struck over the removal of one of them as group leader.

The disciplinary action, the officer said, was in accordance with the Geneva convention.

A change in the attitude of the prisoners might come by tomorrow, Maj. Schuelke said. Past experience in other camps, he pointed out, indicated that three days on bread and water is just about as long as the prisoners care to endure.

Former Resident Wounded In Action

Mr. and Mrs. John Russo, of 1423 Crawford avenue, Duquesne, Pa., formerly of this city, received the following telegram from the war department:

"Regret to inform you that our son, Sgt. Anthony C. Russo has been slightly wounded in action November 17, somewhere in Germany. You will be advised as reports of his condition are received. Witsell, Acting Adjut. Gen.

Sgt. Russo has been attached to the Infantry since his enlistment May, 1940. He served for 15 months in the Canal Zone, and following was confined to the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, for three months, suffering with a tropical illness. Upon recovery in October 1941 he returned to active duty, and has been serving overseas since September 1944.

Sgt. Russo is known here by his friends as "Brother." He is the nephew of Michael Russo, of the fire department of 702 Pearson street.

The Russo family moved to Duquesne, Pa., about three years ago.

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Q. Why do the eyelids swell so readily.

Ans. Because the tissue is very loosely connected and fluid may leave the blood vessels and fill the interstices (spaces).

Q. Are women more likely to experience swollen lids than men?

Ans. Yes, especially during the menstrual period; it is a condition allied to hives (urticaria). Not all swellings of the lid should be taken lightly as some may be serious. In the absence of any other symptom the condition is not alarming. Aside from eye conditions that produce swelling — the kidneys and heart may be the causative factor.

Q. Why should one never use an eye-cup?

Ans. It stops the circulation and may cause a hemorrhage. Use a syringe instead, or a pad of cotton.

Q. Are hemorrhages (blood stained areas) on the whites of the eye serious?

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Nazi High Command Admits U. S. Forces Exert Pressure

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The Nazi high command admitted today that American forces east of Aachen are exerting strong pressure in an effort to break through German defenses along the Roer.

United States troops "suffered heavy losses," according to the German communique in the Roer offensive which the Nazis indicated was hitting hardest south and southeast of Julich where American First Army Infantry and armor tore into the Wehrmacht.

Troops on the North African front used up 1,500,000 gallons of gasoline daily at the height of action.

Hear From Naval Son After Four Months

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dout, of 314 South Crawford avenue, were made glad on Tuesday when they received a letter from their son, Hospital Attendant 1-c Arthur E. Dout, of the Naval Medical Corps. This is the first word from him for four months. He says he is in good health.

Young Dout has been in the service twenty months, and overseas seventeen months, going over as soon as he was 18 years of age.

He has been in a number of actions over there, and it is believed he is now in the Philippines area.

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Fresh
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CANCEL MEETING OF CITIZENS COMMITTEE

Announcement was made today that the meeting planned for Friday evening at The Castleton, between members of the Citizens committee, recently formed to promote the interests of additional recreation for New Castle and Lawrence county, and members of the governmental bodies of the city and county, has been cancelled, due to the inability of many of the interested parties to attend.

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Confirmation Of Nominees Faces Battle

State Department Aides To Face Further Cross-Examination By Senators

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Critics of President Roosevelt's selection of six state department aides today promised rigorous cross-examination of four of them, despite Tuesday's tame opening senate hearing at which all appeared.

William M. Clayton, wealthy former Houston cotton man, was called before the senate foreign relations committee for questioning on his qualifications to be an assistant secretary in charge of economic affairs. He was not questioned yesterday.

To Recall MacLeish

Demand also was made for recall of Archibald MacLeish, nominated as assistant secretary in charge of cultural and public relations. A senator who declined to permit use of his name said James C. Dunn and Nelson A. Rockefeller also will be recalled for questioning.

Sen. Tom Connally (D), Texas, chairman of the committee, was hopeful, however, of obtaining early confirmation of the appointees who also include Joseph C. Grew as undersecretary and Brig. Gen. Julius C. Holmes as another assistant.

"We ought to complete public hearings and hold an executive session at which the nominee will appear and report them out today," he said. "I hope to call up the names in the senate tomorrow for confirmation."

Bitter Fight Faced

There were growing indications, however, that some of the nominees faced a bitter fight on confirmation.

Sen. Guffey (D) Pa., usually a strong New Deal supporter, reiterated his dissatisfaction with the appointments.

"Wait until they are questioned in executive session," he said. "Then the fur will fly. I don't like this bunch."

Sen. Chandler (D) Ky., who is not a member of the committee, expressed disappointment because he was not invited to question the men at the opening hearing.

Sen. Guffey went to the state department today to read dispatches sent by Claude Bowers, when he was ambassador to Spain and at about the time of the Spanish civil war. Bowers was said to have warned that a victory for Franco would be a Fascist victory which would help upset the peace of Europe.

Guffey, it was learned, sought to read the dispatches as a basis for opposition to James C. Dunn, who has been attacked in some publications as being friendly to Franco.

Meantime, CIO President Philip Murray issued a statement in which he said the nominees did not measure up to the standards which should be set in reorganization of the state department.

Trains Get Through, Though Off Schedule

Passenger trains on the Pennsylvania railroad are going through on cleared tracks in spite of a snowfall of 22 inches on the northern part of the line near Erie and Ashtabula, LeRoy Simcoke, chief clerk of the E. and A division, said this morning.

Although not on time, the trains are not far off schedule, Mr. Simcoke said. Maintenance of way men have been kept busy constantly fighting the snow which, in some places, drifted to a height of six feet around the tracks.

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Discharged—William Ford, R. D. 5, Walmo; Martin Schwartz, Highland avenue; Mrs. Jane C. Chambers, R. D. 2; Mrs. Ann Exposito, Edenburg; Mrs. Mildred Porter, W. Clayton street.

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Admitted: Domenick Moderella, 301 South Jefferson street; Helen Dytko, R. D. 1, Wampum; Mrs. Josephine R. Houk, Martha street, R. D. 7; Frank Conti, R. D. 2, Kerr street; Lois Fordyce, R. D. 4.

Discharged: Mrs. Thelma Whitman, 208 North Crawford avenue; Mrs. Louise Augostine and infant daughter, 209 Home street; Mrs. Josephine Trumble, Morton street.

Chaplin Again Returns To Court

In Second Legal Campaign Result Of Charges By Joan Barry, His Ex-Protege

By JULIAN HARTT
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Charles Spencer Chaplin, famous 55-year-old comedian, returned to court today for his second legal campaign of the year to win vindication of charges based upon an admittedly intimate association with Joan Barry, his ex-protegee.

The scene this time was laid in Los Angeles county superior court, where a civil suit seeks to name him the father of Miss Barry's 14-month-old curly headed daughter, Carol Ann. The courtroom was but a few blocks across Civic Center from the federal building where Chaplin won acquittal last April of Mann act "White Slave" charges arising from his association with the red-haired actress whom he had intended to cast opposite himself as a "maid of simple faith" in a film version of the play, "Shadow and Substance."

Silent On Plans

Miss Barry's attorneys, Joseph Scott and A. H. Risse, the latter of whom now holds legal guardianship over Carol Ann, maintained silence on their plans for the courtroom drama.

Scott disclosed only that his first witness would be Dr. Russell Starr, who delivered the infant, to establish the fact of birth, and that Miss Barry herself will appear "only as a witness."

Nor would Charles E. (Pat) Millikan, Chaplin's counselor, reveal his defense. It was apparent, however, that early reference would be made to a stipulation entered into before the baby's birth by Chaplin and Miss Barry, then under advice of a different lawyer, which staked her claim on the result of a blood comparison test.

Blood Tests Made

After Carol Ann's birth, blood samples from all three were examined scientifically and physicians attested that Chaplin could not possibly be the father.

Scott, however, then took the case and demanded that the child "was entitled to her day in court" since California law does not consider such blood tests conclusive. A decision in his favor was carried to the state supreme court and there affirmed.

Pvt. Russell Pardick Is Ill In New Guinea

Pvt. Russell L. Pardick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pardick, Sr., has been seriously ill in New Guinea since November 28, according to a War department telegram received by his parents.

Serving in an Army Search Light Battalion, Pvt. Pardick has been overseas 14 months. A brother, Earl Pardick, B.M. 2-c, is somewhere in the Pacific, while two other brothers, Frank Jr. and Matthew, have both been honorably discharged from the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Pardick, former residents of New Castle, now live in McKeesport.

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Executives Club Hears Wm. H. Upson

Speaker Discusses His Career As An 'Ergophobe' At Meeting Tuesday Night

Often interrupted by the sympathetic laughter of his audience, William Hazlett Upson, lecturer and short story writer, related the story of his career as an "Ergophobe," or "One who fears work" as he spoke to the December dinner meeting of the Executives' club in The Castleton hotel Tuesday evening, with about 150 in attendance.

"If you don't think," warned Mr. Upson, "you may be easily misled into making a mistake on a very important point—the choice of vocation. An Ergophobe must have a vocation because he must have money before he can afford to be lazy."

The speaker, himself, took up farming at first, and then, in desperation, joined the heavy artillery during the last war, to get away from the farm. During the war he learned to hate horses so much that he went into the tractor business later just to get even with the animals.

More Fun To Write

"My job was to go out and repair tractors, and then write up reports that would please the boss," Mr. Upson explained. "But I soon found that it was more fun, and more profitable, to just write the reports and forget about the work. Magazines bought them for short stories, and paid better that the tractor company ever did."

Writing, the speaker says, is the perfect job for an erogophobe, because he has so much time to sit down and think.

"The sensible man never wears himself out on inconsequential tasks. That was the mistake made by ergomaniac officers and men in our company during the war. By the time we got to St. Mihiel, they had all collapsed, and the whole victory was won by ergophobes who had known how to relax.

Balance is the important thing, according to Mr. Upson. Ergophobes must work, but must use their heads about it, while ergomaniacs, especially during times of stress, must know how to relax wisely.

The speaker is the author of the "Earthworm Tractor" stories featuring "Alexander Botts," which have run in the "Saturday Evening Post," and is still interested in tractors and tanks.

Speaking on "The Future of the White Man in Asia," Don Bate will appear at the Executives club meeting on January 23, president James R. Rugh announced. Preceding the dinner Tuesday evening, the invocation was given by Attorney Roy Jamison.

War Restrictions To Hinder Snow Removal

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—Secretary of Highways John U. Shroyer today declared, "this will be our toughest winter since Pearl Harbor as far as keeping roads cleared of snow is concerned."

Citing numerous instances of the manpower shortage, old and worn equipment, the department is now compelled to use in this fourth war winter, the secretary declared "even those difficulties can be combatted successfully, but it may take a little longer to do the job than when the men were plentiful and the equipment new and up-to-date."

"Naturally, our first concern must be to open the main arteries of traffic that leads to industrial plants and embarkation points," he added. "Nothing must deter the flow of material to these localities.

"Then, after that, we will proceed in the normal manner to open all other roads."

Maxine McFetridge Serving In England

Of interest to New Castleites is the news received in a letter from Mrs. R. H. McFetridge of Birmingham, Ala., relating that her daughter, Maxine, has been given an appointment overseas. She is now located in England with the American Red Cross as a club recreational worker.

Maxine spends three days and every evening at the Red Cross club and works in a hospital three days each week. She is also over-seeing the decorating of two additional Red Cross clubs, besides her own, it is stated.

The McFetridge family are former residents of New Castle, when he was superintendent of the Lehigh Portland Cement company here for several years. They are now located in Birmingham, Ala.

Sonja Turns Down Offer Of Million

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Prosperity note: Sonja Heinie, the famed ice and motion picture star, passed up a million dollar offer from a British syndicate for 25 performances with her ice show in London and Paris immediately after the war.

Miss Heinie explained that current and future picture schedules prevented her from considering the offer.

FORMER RESIDENT TAKEN BY DEATH

Word has been received here that Otto Parsons of Painesville, O., died suddenly of a heart attack on Monday evening. He was a former resident of New Castle, the son of the late Professor William Parsons, who was prominent here in musical circles some years ago.

He is survived by his wife, two children, a daughter Marcia at home and a son William now with the armed forces in England, his mother, Mrs. Velina Parsons, and two sisters, Mrs. Florence Brewer and Miss Lillian Parsons, all of Painesville.

Local relatives who survive are an aunt, Mrs. Bessie Rummel, and two cousins, Mrs. I. M. Henley and Kenneth MacDonald.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at the Johnson funeral home in Painesville.



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NEWS AND VIEWS AT CAPITAL

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—The 136th regular session of General Assembly opening January 2 promises to be unique from two angles. It will mark the first time the lawmakers have ever been confronted with a huge postwar program. In addition, only one other time in the past 45 years has the political division of the house been so close. As the membership now stands, and it probably will be final, the GOP controls 108 seats and Democrats 100. The Republicans have only three votes more than needed to dominate procedure. The other instance was in 1935 when Democrats won control and polled 117 votes to 38 for the GOP or 12 more than needed to organize the lower chamber.

The 1945 session will be in sharp contrast to political divisions of other years which accurately reflected the tight hold the Republican organization has on Pennsylvania. The GOP highwater mark was in 1925 when 194 Republicans voted compared with 14 Democrats. Between 1923 and 1935 the GOP never had less than a 34-vote working majority.

The state bureau of highway safety's report in road accidents during 10 months of 1944 compared with a similar period last year emphasized motorists carelessly push prewar automobiles to the limit and fail to exercise proper precaution. Despite a registration decline of more than a quarter-million automobiles and the decreased travel as a result of gasoline rationing, 1944 fatalities were only 19 under 1943 during the January-October period. The total number of injuries has not been compiled but it can be expected to parallel the fatalities report. "To avoid accidents," the report stated, "it is therefore necessary that better driving attitudes and driving practices be inculcated into operators of motor vehicles."

The Pennsylvania Council of Public Employes has announced plans to seek civil service for all state employes under a constitutional amendment. The council's program, which may die in committee, includes the establishment of "grievance machinery" for state, county and municipal employes before the state labor relations board or similar agency. One plank that would appeal to all commonwealth employes—and only a comparative handful have joined the council—was one that would permit them to carry accumulated sick leaves and vacations from one year to the next—if adopted. In addition, the council has become the champion of employes earning more than $3000 annually and has drafted a plea to Gov. Edward Martin for increases commensurate with increased living cost. The council pointed out the governor had approved salary boosts for workers earning less than $3000 a year.

Plastic surgeons of England are now using a glue to replace stitches, reports from London disclose. Plasma and a cell-growing substance are mixed in a method of attaching skin grafts. The former technique involved the application of high pressure bandages which had to be in position for several days after the stitches had been placed.

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High School Choir, Youngstown Group, Plan Concert Here

Christmas Music Will Be Sung At Washington Junior High Friday Evening

Combining with the a cappella choir of Youngstown, the choral department of New Castle senior high school will present a program of Christmas music in the auditorium of the George Washington junior high school on Friday evening, December 15, at 8:30 o'clock.

Three groups from the local high school will take part—the a cappella choir, the girls' chorus and the mixed "B" chorus, all under the direction of Robert A. Duff, choral director at senior high.

The Youngstown Rayen group is under the direction of Waldemar A. Nischwitz, who has directed choral groups in Youngstown for a number of years, and has also appeared in New Castle as a director.

This event is in the nature of an exchange-engagement, as the New Castle choir appeared in Youngstown with the Rayen group in 1940 for a Christmas concert. Before the concert, the New Castle singers will entertain the visitors at dinner in the cafeteria at Washington junior high.

Sgt. William Sweet Wounded Near Metz

Now In French Hospital, Sergeant Will Probably Not Return To Active Duty

Sgt. William Sweet, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sweet, 1004 North Beaver street, was wounded in action near the town of Metz sometime in November, and is now in a hospital on the French coast, according to word received by his parents.

Sgt. Sweet, who has been wounded in the head, has been in four hospitals since he was hit, and will probably not return to active duty. He has been in service for three years, and overseas for seven months.

The pileated woodpecker found in the United States and Canada, grows 20½ inches long.

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BRIEF NEWS OVER STATE

(International News Service)

NORRISTOWN — An admonishment to "keep his landing gear down and watch out for belly landings" accompanied a three-month jail sentence meted out to Joseph Gallagher by the Montgomery county court after the discharged airman was found guilty of burglarizing a Lower Merion home.

EASTON—Eight-year-old Bobbie Hartman lost two toes while seated on a kitchen chair when his brother accidentaly touched the trigger of a shotgun in the cellar and the charge ripped through the floor and shoe.

NORRISTOWN—The Farmers' Union Horse company met at Norristown to discuss the scarcity of horses and to continue an unbroken series of annual meetings that started 111 years ago.

HARRISBURG — It has been proven that a way to a man's heart is through his stomach, so the Salvation Army expanded the axiom to include everybody and offered a box of doughnuts with every War Stamp or Bond purchase in a drive to solicit $30,000 in the capital city.

ELKINS PARK—Glen Gloyd was forced to have several stitches in his lip when a piece of chewing gum exploded when he bit into it. It developed a small Fourth of July cap torpedo had slipped in among the sticks.

LEWISTOWN—Borough councilmen looked the younger generation square in the eye and forgot about political reprisals after the youths become of age when they approved the initial reading of an ordinance fixing a 50-cent annual bicycle tax.

PITTSBURGH — Cpl. Natalie Beiersdorf, a WAC in New Guinea, wrote to her parents that native children at her island station salute all soldiers because the custom was forced on them by Japanese troops.

CONNELLSVILLE — Another headache was dropped into the laps of local ration board members when motorists complained that grade three tires were "blowing out" after a few miles use while dealers refused to give satisfaction.

NO AUTO TESTS HERE TUESDAY

Because of the adverse driving conditions Pennsylvania state police did not hold examination of prospective motor vehicle operators yesterday in Sampson street. Tests will be held next Tuesday, however.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a two-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 3 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by drug stores everywhere.

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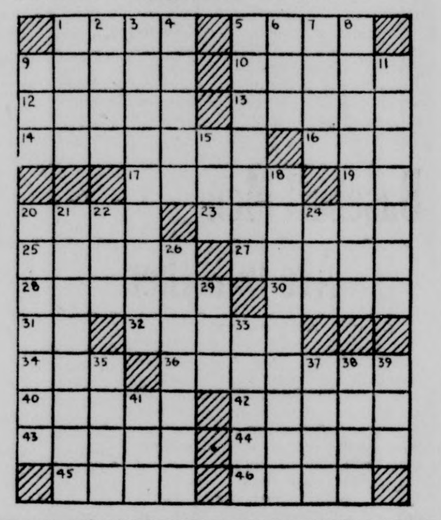
DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Poor section (city)
5. Poles
9. Smoothing tool
10. Girl's name
12. Examine, as account books
13. Doctrine
14. Chief magistrate (China)
16. Dancer's cymbals
17. Verbal examinations
19. Masurium (sym.)
20. Jewish month
23. Vanquished
25. Patterns
27. Begin
28. Lissome
30. Handle
31. Pronoun
32. Mandarin headquarters
34. Greek letter
36. Salt of muriatic acid
40. Lift
42. Pungent
43. A signal
44. Bags
45. Lixiviums
46. Otherwise

DOWN

1. To run together, as words
2. Dip out
3. Evenly
4. Measure of length
5. Confuses (colloq.)
6. Undivided
7. Force
8. Vessels run by steam
9. Food for invalids
11. City (Georgia)
15. Part of locomotive
18. Devilish
20. Replies
21. To fit nicely
22. Part of "to be"
24. Convert into leather
26. Parts of flowers
29. Ostrich-like bird
33. Rub out
35. Breezy
37. Portions of curved lines
38. Dog (var.)
39. Boy's nickname (poss.)
41. Observe





Yesterday's Answer

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

WKST—1280; KDKA—1020; WCAE—1250; WJAS—1320

KDKA	WCAE	WJAS
6:30—Jeanne Baxter & Ed.	Eye Witness News	Lyn Murray orch.
6:45—Lowell Thomas, News	Dinner Music	World Today
7:00—Music Shop	News, Fulton Lewis, Jr.	I Love A Mystery
7:15—News of the World	Melodies	Music That Satisfies
7:30—Bernie Armstrong	Vineyard Melody	Easy Aces
7:45—Bernie Armstrong	Vineyard Melody	Easy Aces
8:00—Mr and Mrs. North	Cecil Brown	Jack Carson
8:15—Mr and Mrs. North	Sunny Skylar	Jack Carson
8:30—Carton of Cheers	Human Adventure	Dr. Christian
8:45—Carton of Cheers	Human Adventure	Dr. Christian
9:00—Eddie Cantor	News, Gabriel Heatter	Frank Sinatra
9:15—Eddie Cantor	Screen Test	Frank Sinatra
9:30—Mr. District Attorney	Cisco Kid	Which Is Which
9:45—Mr. District Attorney	Cisco Kid	Which Is Which
10:00—Kay Kyser	Summer Welles	Great Moments In Music
10:15—Kay Kyser	Bob Rhodes orch.	Great Moments In Music
10:30—Kay Kyser	Glen Williams orch.	Nelson Eddy
10:45—Kay Kyser	Chuck Foster	Nelson Eddy
11:00—News	Bob Donley, News	Ken Hildebrand, News
11:15—High Hat Club	Musical Spotlight	Saturday Evening Post
11:30—High Hat Club	Shep Fields orch.	Invitation to Music
11:45—News	Carl Ravazza orch.	Invitation to Music
12:00—Music You Want	Benny Strong orch.	News
12:15—Music You Want	Dance orch.	Petrillo & Co.
12:30—Design for Dancing	Jose Mcrand orch.	Signature

WKBN—570

6:30—Sports
6:45—The World Today
6:55—Jos. Harsch, News
7:00—News
7:15—Music That Satisfie
7:30—The Songkings
7:45—Modern Romance
8:00—Jack Carson Show
8:30—Dr. Christian
8:55—News
9:00—Inner Sanctum
9:30—Which Is Which
10:00—Great Moments In Music
10:30—Nelson Eddy Show
11:00—I Love A Mystery
11:15—News In Review
11:30—Invitation to Music
12:00—Signature

WKST

THURSDAY

7:00—Musical Clock
7:30—Bible Breakfast
7:45—Musical Clock
8:05—Pilgrim Hour
8:20—Driftwood Ranch
8:55—News
9:00—Dr. J. Munyon
9:30—From A to Z
9:45—This Rhythmic Age
10:00—News
10:05—Slim Carter
11:00—News
11:05—Meet the Band
11:30—For Women Only
12:00—News
12:15—Towncrier
12:20—Club 1280 Entertains
12:45—Bible Truth Hour
1:00—News
1:05—Excursions In Service
1:20—Silent Rhapsody
1:45—Hollywood Headlines
2:00—News
2:05—Variety Matinee
5:00—News
5:05—America Sings
5:15—Bernard Kemper, Songs
5:30—Komic Klub Parade
5:45—Santa Claus
6:00—News
6:15—Salute to Wm. M. Thomas
6:30—String Ensemble
6:45—N. C. Hi School Program
7:00—News
7:15—America Sings
7:30—Radio Newsreel
7:45—Foster Sisters
8:05—Symphony of Melody
8:30—Concert Radium
9:00—Between the Lines
9:15—Freedom's Fighting Men
9:30—Dancetand
9:55—News
10:00—First U. B. Church
10:30—Sign Off WKST

LITTLE BEAVER

Dale Clemmer's home and its contents, located in Big Beaver township, were destroyed by fire last Wednesday morning. The cause of the fire was attributed to defective wiring. Mr. and Mrs. Clemmer and their four children escaped without injury, but lost all their possessions. Mr. Clemmer was a former resident of Little Beaver.

Mrs. Norman Hunt, of New Castle, recently spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. G. Walker.

Mrs. J. C. Young was a Friday caller in Beaver Falls.

Mrs. Harry Young and daughter, Martha, were Thursday visitors in Beaver Falls.

Mrs. J. C. Young was a Tuesday caller in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zeh visited Tuesday in New Castle.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Russell were callers at New Castle recently.

R. J. Nesbit was a Thursday visitor at New Castle.

Mrs. H. C. Dudas and family visited Friday in Beaver Falls.

Mrs. Ross Knowlson was a Tuesday caller in New Castle.

George Von Berg, of Freedom visited recently at the home of his mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Young and family, of Racine, visited here recently at the home of their parents.

Lt. E. K. Johnston Wins Air Decoration

First Lt. Edward K. Johnston, navigator on a B-17 Flying Fortress based in England, has been cited for superior achievements and courage and awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Johnston, 318 East North street, Lt. Johnston has been in the AEF since October, 1942. He was a student at the University of Pennsylvania before entering the service.

BO BY FRANK BECK



Planes May Move As Fast As Sound

Cannon-Carrying Fighters And Jet Propulsion Also Included In Report On Naval Aviation

By JOHN A. REICHMANN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Early development of fighter aircraft approaching 700 miles an hour in speed, almost the speed of sound, was predicted today by Rear Admiral D. C. Ramsey, chief of the bureau of aeronautics, in a report on naval aviation development from July 1, 1940, to October 1, last.

"During the past four years," the report said, "the top speeds of fighter aircraft in operation with the fleet have been increased by approximtaely 100 miles per hour, ranges have been nearly doubled and armament has more than tripled in effectiveness."

Experimental Fighters

"Experimental fighter airplanes now being developed range from light high performance interceptors to multi-engined night fighters armed with both cannon and machine guns. They include unconventional arrangements af advanced design such as the employment of jet propulsion.

"It is anticipated that in the near future the top speeds of fighter aircraft in service will approach the sonic range, and be accompanied by further marked increases in rates of climbs and service ceilings."

The speed of sound approximately in the temperate zone is 763 miles per hour at sea level and gradually diminishes in higher altitudes reaching only 663 miles per hour at 35,000 feet.

Outlining the development of experimental patrol planes, some are now being developed which include multi-engined patrol planes carrying increased loads at nearly twice the speed of the present day patrol boats, the report to the house naval affairs commmittee continued.

Altitudes at which power can develop their rated horse powers through additional supercharging, it asserted, and the field of jet propulsion and other related sources of power is being fully explored.

"The fire power of navy airplanes has been increased not only by the addition of greater numbers of guns of larger caliber and improved reliability, but also by the incorporation of forward firing rockets, power operated turrets and jettisonable lackage gun containers which can be attached to the external bomb racks of naval aircraft," the report said.

"Many new and novel features which permit bombing under conditions of reduced visibility have been brought forward and placed in operation in service aircraft."

In connection with production of navy planes, the report said that on July 1, 1940, the navy had only 1,741 service planes of all types.

This number grew to about 5,000 at the time of Pearl Harbor. During the entire period covered by the report, it reported, 59,897 aircraft had been built for the navy of which it retained for its own use 52,538 planes.

Sergt. Abraham Is Wounded In France

Tech. Sgt. Joseph E. Abraham of 411 East Long avenue, who has been in service for three and a half years, was wounded recently in France, according to word received by relatives here. His sister Mrs. Julia Michaels, who is listed as his next of kin by the War Department, and who resides at the above address, is now visiting her husband, stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

Sgt. Abaraham resides with Mrs. Mike Tony, of 411 East Long avenue, who recently received the Purple Heart, awarded by the War Department to those wounded in action.

Brig. Gen. Ladd At Indiantown

INDIANTOWN GAP, Pa., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Brig. Gen. James A. Ladd, former commandant of Camp Reynolds at Greenville, on Tuesday became the commanding general of the huge Indiantown Gap military reservation.

A native of Sandusky, O., he was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy and commissioned a second lieutenant in 1911. He was promoted to colonel in 1940 and a temporary brigadier in August, 1941.

The equipment and personnel of Camp Reynolds, closed earlier by the War department, preceded General Ladd to Indiantown.

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PLANNERS TO MEET

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The 10-member postwar planning commission will hold the first of two December meetings at the state capitol tomorrow to accelerate project recommenoations to Gov. Edward Martin before the General Assembly convenes January 2.

The commission, headed by H. W. Prentis, Jr., Lancaster businessmen, was scheduled to meet again December 28 to make final recommendations to Governor Martin.

Before the war more than 800,000 persons were employed in the sales and production of alcoholic beverages. Included in this are employes of taverns, hotel bars package stores, wholesalers, rectifiers, wineries, and distillers.

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Wampum Tops Ellwood City

Score Is 36 To 26 At Ellwood Floor, Bennett, Grinnen, Dougherty Star

(Special To The News)

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 13.—Ellwood City High school basketball team played host last night to Wampum High Section 21 champs, last year, and lost 36 to 26 after leading the first-half 22 to 19.

So keen a defense did Wampum employ the second half that Ellwood was held to four points, two in each of the third and fourth periods, while Wampum led by Bennett and Grinnen dumped in 17 points the second half to take a commanding lead.

Rochester On Friday

Joe Dougherty led the Ellwood City flippers at scoring with ten points, while Bennett and Grinnen with 23 between them topped the Coach Butler Hennon machine in tallying.

Friday night Rochester High will play Ellwood at Ellwood floor, it was announced. In the preliminary game the Ellwood High Reserves defeated the Wampum High Reserves 24 to 17.

ELLWOOD	G.	F.	T.	WAMPUM	G.	F.	T.
Colavincenzo, f	1	0	2	Bennett, f	5	1	11
Ford, f	2	0	4	Marich, f	1	0	2
Dougherty, c	5	0	10	Grinnen, c	5	2	12
Bellissimo, g	2	1	5	Kanagy, g	1	1	3
Mastilak, g	0	0	0	Porter, g	2	0	4
Cerritelli, f	1	0	2	Scala, c	2	0	4
Luxemburg, g	1	1	3				
	12	2	26		16	4	36

Ellwood City	9	13	2	2—26
Wampum	9	10	6	11—36

Referee—George Robuck.

Welker Cochran Defeats Hoppe

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Old "Mr. Billiards" himself, defending Champion Willie Hoppe of White Plains, N. Y., was supplanted today by Welker Cochran of San Francisco, Calif., as the nation's three-cushion billiards champion.

Cochran, supremely confident all the way, handed Hoppe his second defeat of the 10-day tourney which came to a climax last night, and won the title from the 58-year-old veteran by a score of 50-44 in 31 innings.

Postpone Election Until Next Month

Monthly meeting of the Lawrence County Sportsman's association which was scheduled for last night was postponed because only a few members were able to attend, hence the election of 1945 officers will be held at 8 p. m. January 9.

NEW CASTLE NEWS SPORTS

CAMPFIRE CORNER

By JACK WELCH

THE BOY AND HIS CHRISTMAS GUN

"A motorist, shot in the head by one of two youthful hitch-hikers who became angered and fired a .22-calibre rifle at his car when he failed to stop and give them a ride, caught one of the boys after a two-mile chase on foot and turned him over to deputy sheriffs."

I quote from a daily paper of recent date, to emphasize a pet theory of mine, shared by everyone who is conversant with the proper use of firearms, that when you permit a boy to own a gun you thereby assume a definite and weighty responsibility.

In the instance cited the motorist wasn't seriously wounded, of course, or he couldn't have chased his assailant two miles. The youth who did the shooting pleaded that he had no idea the gun was loaded, thereby probably adding falsehood to his other offenses, and that he lifted the weapon and pulled the trigger on impulse anyway. His companion, apprehended later, was belligerent and defiant about the whole thing. Both were held for juvenile delinquency authorities

The near-tragic incident demonstrated what may happen to a boy's mental processes and physical reactions when he's given a rifle or shotgun without being taught to respect it and required to show some consideration for persons and other creatures and objects in his vicinity.

Guns As Gifts

This Christmas, despite the wartime scarcity of weapons available to civilians, a lot of guns will be given boys as gifts by parents, relatives and friends. These donors, if they set any store by the boy's future, won't let the recipient go his way unimpressed with the dangers that lurk in firearms, nor will they pass up a golden opportunity to acquaint the youth with the elemental rules of sportsmanship.

In most instances the dad who places a .22 rifle or a 20-gauge shotgun in his son's Christmas stocking is pretty well qualified to teach the youngster how to use it, and he should be willing to sacrifice a few hours from his bowling alley or newspaper to accompany the boy into the outdoors and give him some first-hand lessons. However, almost any member of an outdoor organization, or perhaps a returned soldier-hunter of the parent's acquaintance, would be willing to take on the job.

Then there are American Rifleman's association clubs to which one can turn, where practice and training are both safe and sound. In any case, better let the boy go gunless than leave essential instruction to happenstance.

Robinson Wins By Technical Kayo

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Ray (Sugar) Robinson, lithe, Harlem welterweight, strengthened his claim to the title of "uncrowned king of the welters" toady, following his TKO victory over Richard (Sheik) Rangel in less than two rounds of their scheduled 10-round bout at Philadelphia's Convention Hall.

Rangel, a Mexican from Fresno, Calif., visited the canvas twice in the second round before Referee Charley Daggert gave the bout to Robinson with but 10 seconds of the frame to go.

UNION TO PLAY ZELIENOPLE HI

Zelienople At Union Thursday In Tri-County Loop Battle; Have Won Two

Union High School basketball team, with two victories in the first two starts of the 1944-45 season will play Zelienople High a return game at the Union court Thursday night (providing the roads are clear), it was announced today by Principal Milton A. Pattison. The preliminary game, featuring the reserves of both schools will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Union went to Zelienople recently and won a lopsided battle 46 to 36 over the "Zels", with Korab dumping in 25 points. Union has also defeated Evans City High at Union floor 39 to 22 and lead the Tri-County League with two wins and no defeats.

Coach Pat Patterson has the Unionites at the top of their game for the return battle with the Zelienople team, and the Blue and White clad passers should take this one. Union figures to be very much in the Section 21 championship fight this winter.

Basketball Card Is Snowed Under

Snow drifts and road conditions caused postponement of five basketball games in this district last night. New Castle and Ford City will not play their game this evening at Washington High.

The following games were called off by snow last night:

Ford City at New Castle.
Petersburg at Bessemer.
New Wilmington at Princeton.
Plaingrove at East Brook.
Shenango at Mars.

Pascarella Will Be Back Umping

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Sgt. Art Passarella, 34, who was one of the youngest umpires in the major leagues, will return to his old job with the American league next spring.

This was assured today following his honorable discharge from the army at Fort Sheridan where recently he has been assigned as guard at the prisoner of war camp. last summer he conducted an umpire school at the Rockford, Ill., army base.

A coating of liquid wax will prevent the continued formation of dust on a concrete floor.

New Castle High Ford City Game Postponed Again

Will Play Game Saturday Night, January 27, Gardner Announces

New Castle High's scheduled basketball game tonight at George Washington Junior High floor with Ford City High has been postponed until Saturday night, January 27, at Washington court. Ralph H. Gardner, faculty manager at Senior High announced the second postponement today.

The two teams were originally scheduled to play last night, but the intense snow storm and blizzard of late Monday made the game here an utter impossibility, as the Ford City officials did not feel that it would be safe to tackle the snow-drifted highways.

Conditions being but little better today Gardner contacted the Ford City High coaches and the game was again called off to be played on Saturday, January 27.

Next Home Game Dec. 27

Providing the highways are in better shape Friday than they are at the moment the New Castle High team will travel to Clairton for a warm-up game. The next regular scheduled home game for New Castle is on December 27 with Harbrack High playing here. New Castle goes to Butler for a warm-up game on Tuesday, December 19.

In the meantime Coach Phil Bridenbaugh will keep the boys in shape by stiff workouts at Washington gym.

Bell And Wright Bout Postponed

Severe Snow Storm Causes Postponement Of Pittsburgh Fight Show

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Winter gales today swept off Pittsburgh's sport calendar for an indefinite period the twice-scheduled bout between Youngstown's Tommy Bell and Bee Bee Wright.

The fight was first scheduled for Monday night, postponed until last night and then indefinitely put off because of the severe snowstorm which blanketed the area and tied up transportation.

Plan Transfer Of Rabbits, Pheasants

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—State game commission officials were putting the finishing touches today to plans to transfer approximately 40,000 rabbits and pheasants from public parks and victory gardens to hunting grounds during the next three months.

Commission director Seth Gordon said that about 33,000 rabbits and pheasants were removed from victory gardens last year and placed in hunting areas. He said the program will begin December 15 and will end in March.

Baseball Men Are In Dither

By PAT ROBINSON
(International News Service Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Baseball does not want a stuffed shirt for its new commissioner but neither does it want, nor will it accept another dictator with the limitless powers of the late Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

This much was made clear by the major league club owners yesterday. All of them insist that they don't want a rubber stamp in office and they declare that they will not try to curb the new commissioner's powers but they will define just what those powers may be.

Owners Want Say

The majors could write rules and laws until they were blue in the face but if Landis did not approve he would toss all their rules into the ashcan. He wrote his own laws as he went along. The new commissioner will have no such powers. He will have to rule by the book and the club owners will write the book.

The new major league agreement, to replace the one under which Landis operated, will be written by the committee appointed by the two league presidents yesterday. Don Barnes, St. Louis; Jack Zeller, Detroit; Alva Bradley, Cleveland; Tom Yawkey, Boston and Joe Hostetler, Cleveland secretary and league lawyer will represent the American League on the committee. The Nationals will be represented by Branch Rickey, Brooklyn; Horace Stoneham, New York; Sam Breadon, St. Louis; Warren Giles, Cincinnati and Phil Wrigley, Chicago.

PIRATES TOP SPARKLERS

The Pirates trimmed the Sparklers 29 to 20 in a House League game at the "Y" last night, with Perrett starring for the winners with 14 of the points, while Johnson led the Sparklers with 12 points.

Two Floor Rules Being Stressed

Two Officials Must Handle Ball After Basket, Before Play Is Resumed

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association announced today that under the 1944-45 rules in high school contests, two basketball officials must handle the ball before it is put in play again following successful field goals or foul shots.

Edmund Wicht, secretary, said the board of control ruled that "after a successful free throw for personal foul the official under the basket shall pass the ball to the lead-official, who is waiting at the sideline at the center of the court, and this official shall hand the ball to the player who is to put it into play."

Not Alter Timing

The board also decided that the manner in which a ball is handled following a field goal will not alter in any way rules regarding timing.

"When the ball is awarded to a team out-of-bounds at mid-court it is to be regarded as awarded to that team in its front court," Wicht explained. "Consequently, the official must take possession of the ball and hand it to the player who is to put it in play."

Wicht said the new rules were used in some PIAA games last year.

Choose Sites For Floor Tournaments

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 13.—(INS)—New York's Madison Square Garden and Kansas City, Mo., again will be the sites for the 1945 national intercollegiate basketball tournament eastern and western playoffs, respectively, Harold G. Olsen, tournament committee chairman, announced today.

The final game matching winners of the regional tourneys will be played in Madison Square Garden March 27.

Games Tonight In 'Y' League

Three more games will be played tonight in the Indus-Church league at the "Y" floor. The first game at 7:30 o'clock will have the First Baptist team tangling with the First Presbyterians.

In the second game the Johnson Bronze battles the Shenango Pottery in what looms as a hot contest, with the Pottery leadership threatened. The third game will have the Croton M. E. team meeting the St. George Greeks.

HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

HUNTERS who shot deer and want to know what to do with hides can perform a patriotic service. First, they can donate them outright for the war cause by presenting them to Game Protector Frank Coen whose duty it is to place it with the game commission. Second, sell them for a small amount to the nearest fur buyer through whom the skins will also reach our war flyers. Last year big game hunters of America turned in 238,000 deer and elk hides. This year more than that number is required. When skinning out the animal it must be noted that all meat is to be scraped off the skin and care should be taken not to cut through it which is likely to happen with the sharp knives used in the operation. When the skin is well cleaned of fat and meat it must be well salted and rolled up for turning over to the game protector or buyer according to a letter we've received from Seth Myers, Outdoors writer for Northwest Pennsylvania Sportsmen.

Ira Butler, Court street, Neil Williams, Raymond street, and several others in their party have returned from the big woods. Butler shot a buck. . . . Fox are numerous near the Butler-Lawrence counties' line, near Ramblers Rest. . . . Three deer were seen Sunday on a farm near the Pumpkintown road, Route 422, or about two miles this side of Dixie Inn. . . . That banquet in honor of the defeated candidate (Carl Wallace) for the presidency of the F. O. P. was one of the best events of its kind staged here. . . . The food, exquisitely prepared, was varied and would have satisfied the appetite of a epicurist. . . . The banquet was given by those who supported Wallace and was a sort of vote of confidence for a future race.

"A consistent thing about some people is their inconsistency" said John the Guzzler after wading through a foot of snow on a neighbor's sidewalk who moaned because other people hadn't removed their snow. . . . A few things people in the U. S. would like to see is less strife in nations liberated, solving of the overseas cigarette shortage and more charity at home. . . . Just because city council intends to buy a horse and wagon for the dog catcher is not saying New Castle is returning to the horse and buggy days. . . . Won't there be a howl from some if they put teeth in the work or fight law? As was said recently a young man who can but will not work now is as useless to our country as smallpox.

Charlie Brunton, adjutant, local Revolver club, recorded a tie between McKee and Giordana, each with a 91, in a recent shoot. . . . He has promised to submit scores early the day following the matches, or scarcely before the report of the pistol has died out. . . . Shenango Valley Beagle club will hold its annual election of officers at the Y. M. C. A. December 16. . . Feeding of rabbits and date of the spring derby will be decided upon. . . . Farmers report a shortage of rabbits during the small game season. . . . They also say the same thing about skunks. . . . They would be very well satisfied if there was a shortage of fox which have been destroying chickens.

Tommy Bell and Chuck Hunter go to it in Cleveland December 19. The ex-amateur doesn't say "Clang! Clang! Goes the Trolley," but says "Bang! Bang! Goes the Register". He's fattening is "B. R." these war days. Chuck Wergles who managed Beau Jack, is directing Bell which means Bell will be kept banging. . . . He draws 'em in and that is what promoters want. . . . Ralph Criswell is doing a nice job with the Shore Patrol at Norfolk. . . . John Golis, city bluecoat, is regarded as a beau brummel of the department. . . . Always spic and span. Gives a stranger a good impression. . . . Bill Houston, city 'cop' formerly was a firefighter. . . . Pfc. William D. and Pfc. Robert G. Reynolds, who were both wounded and in the same Marine hospital are now out of the hospital and in the same company. Lynn A. White, a Seabee, and a son-in-law of their father, Bill Reynolds, National Radiator safety director, was also in the same hospital at the same time.

Now and then an error creeps into stories. One crept in yesterday. In fact, it was one of those kind we want to correct. It was in the Babe Rivers yarn. In rehashing the Babe Rivers vs. Paris Cangey fight years ago it was erroneously stated that Rivers knocked Cangey "out". This is not correct. Rivers floored Cangey after which Cangey got up and knocked out Rivers. Had Babe not had a weak jaw it is probable he would have gone on to collect some nice purses. He was smart, clever, could punch and was thoroughly game.

Fair Or Foul

By LAWTON CARVER
(International News Service Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(INS)—For a grand total of $6.40 and the price of a war bond, plus a dime for the subway ride to and from the Polo Grounds, a football fanatic in these parts will be able to see the answer to his most cherished dreams this coming week-end. The baseball park is going to be sold out all the way to clinging privileges on the rafters Sunday. The Saturday crowd won't be far behind.

Sunday the Giants meet the Green Bay Packers for the National League championship in the grand finale to the season along what used to be known as the effete east. Saturday's game is the buy-a-bond attraction between the Second Air Force Superbombers and the Randolph Field Ramblers.

See Fine Game

All this comes on the heels of that two-day football feast of two Saturday's back when the east converged on Baltimore to see Army take Navy in one of the great games of these times, then scurried back to New York for the Giant-Washington Redskin tussle. This latter was followed up by the Giant-Redskin game of last Sunday at Washington.

Those of us who cling to the notion that you have to go west and south to get your football as it really should be played are changing our mind for the time being.

You can go back to the now forgotten salad days of Yale, Harvard and Princeton to find any such program of super-charged gridiron explosives as we are getting up north at the tail-end of this season.

It just happened to work out that way under the stress of war.

Bound To Be Good

Army and Navy were bound to be powerful under their setup, compared with the juggling of students at other schools; the Second Air Force and Randolph Field land in our midst in the interest of the war bond drive and in this post-season engagement will play for what amounts to the service championship; the Giants meet Green Bay in New York because it is the east's turn to hold the playoffs. Exactly how the Giants ever got in there nobody knows.

That isn't said with a view to taking anything away from the local professional eleven. They started pre-season training with a handful of presumably worn and weary veterans, a few tried youngsters and several untried performers. Out of this emerged one of the toughest teams in the country. They have few stars in the strict sense of the word, no Sammy Baughs or Sid Luckmans.

But they built some plays around young Bill Paschal and elderly Ward Cuff, who was late reporting because of a hitch in the army, and played the game all season like kids trying to make a first team at Alma Mammy. Thus they beat Green Bay, toughest in the west, and Washington twice in three of their last four games.

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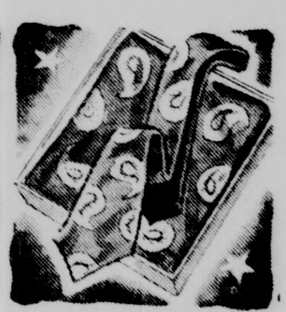
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31013—17

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30716—18

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EMPLOYMENT

Male

MAN, strong, to take charge of warehouse; can also work into sales work. Permanent. Good salary, experience not necessary. Write Box 252, News. 31013—18

Male and Female

WANTED—Party to wash walls of two rooms. Call 7688. 30912*—19

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AN OPPORTUNITY

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RITE-WAY MILKERS
Kalajainen's Collision Service
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MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous For Sale

SNOW SCOOTER with all steel runner, "Skeeboggan", $3.95. No phone orders. Fisher's Big Store, Long Ave. 31014—30

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Maple finish, figures and alphabet on top of table. All bolted construction. If you want an ideal gift for your little girl—this is it. Regular price, $19.95, special $14.75.

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30717—30

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Business and Office Furniture

TYPEWRITERS, drawing supplies, filing cabinets wanted. Adding machines, typewriters rebuilt. Burroughs adding machine, $150. Phone 1260-J. Westell's, 344 E. Wash. St. 31016—32

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Household Goods

MODERN walnut dresser, chest, round mirror, Radiant stove, girl's ice skates, size 5. Phone 2944-W. 31012*—34

NEW large feather comfort for sale. Call at 614 Allen St. 1t*—34

SELLING OUT!

Bed, $1; springs, $1; ice box, $2; dresser, $3; coach chair, $5; round tables, $1; glider; Singer sewing machine; dining room suite; Eureka sweeper; mixer; Estate Heatrola gas stove; several other items not mentioned. Can be seen only until 1 p.m. 134 W. Long Ave. 31012*—33

FOR SALE—Warfield baby Grand piano, 5-years-old; beautiful tone and good condition. Price $450. Phone 2231. 1t*—34

MERCHANDISE

Household Goods

ELECTRIC IRONS WANTED. Modern stoves, large or small, electric or gas, any type—bought and sold. Sweepers, electric sewing machines, washers wanted. Westell's, 344 E. Washington Street. Phone 1260-J. 31016—34

FOR SALE—Curly maple bedroom suite; Leonard ice box; fumed oak buffet and chiffonier. 221 Park Ave. 31012*—34

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FOR SALE—Heating stove, good as new. 336½ Produce St., third floor. 31013*—34

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Complete Service Department. Also new and used cleaners. Branch—214 Wallace Blk. Phone 271, Ext. 2386. 30025—34

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We have good reconditioned sewing machines for sale. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 33 North Mill street. 30025—34

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RED all-wool snow suit, size 3; A-1 condition. Call 5852. 1t*—37

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Household Goods

WHY DELAY? DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING NOW!

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27 S. Mill St. Opp. Krogers.

Floor Lamps, Silk Shades $19.95
Table Lamps, Silk Shades ..... $9.95 up
Occasional Chairs $9.95
Chest of Drawers, Unfinished ..... $9.95 up
Lamp Tables, Walnut ..... $5.95 up
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ALL KINDS of alarm clocks, electric irons and toasters. Highest prices paid. T. C. Rainey, Jeweler, Mahoningtown. 1t*—38

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Houses For Sale

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CHESTNUT STREET

Investment Property, 6-rooms, bath, furnace, cemented basement; also 3-room cottage with electric, city water, gas, commode in basement. Both houses rent for $37. Owner anxious to sell. Look them over and make us an offer.

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STOCK MARKET TONE NOW FIRM

Trading Developed During Early Hours Is Lower Than For Past Week

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The stock market displayed general firmness today although parts of the list again were checked by profit-taking, continuing yesterday's uncertainty.

First hour volume totaled only 218,180 shares, the smallest in more than a week.

Steels and motors were backward for the second day in a row. Bethlehem Steel and U. S. Steel slipped fractionally. Chrysler dipped to 90½, off ½.

Rails hovered around Tuesday's close. Aviations were a shade lower. American Locomotive jumped a half point but other equipments were sluggish. Blue chips were mixed. The following in utilities was meager. Little change was noted in coppers and chemicals. Building shares made headway, Johns-Manville picking up a half point.

The bond market was steady.

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Rails	45.82
Utilities	25.76

Amer Loco	27½
Am Rad & Stan S	11¾
A T & T	166⅝
Amer Smelt & Rfg	40½
Aanconda Copper	28
Am Water W & E Co	8¾
Armour	6⅝
B & O	8½
Barnsdall Oil	16
Bethlehem Steel	63½
Baldwin Loco	26¼
Boeing Airplane	17½
Canadian Pacific	11⅛
Chrysler	90½
Col Gas & Elec	4
Consolidated Oil	14¼
Cont Can Co	38⅝
Cont Motors	8⅜
Commercial Solvents	15⅞
Curtiss Wright	5⅞
Douglas Aircraft	68¾
Elec Bond & Share	9⅜
Elec Power & Light	4
Great Northern	44⅝
General Foods	41
General Motors	63⅞
General Electric	39⅜
Glenn Martin	22⅝
Goodyear Rubber	49⅞
Gulf Oil	47⅝
Hudson Motors	14⅞
Ind Rayon	39¾
Inter Harvester	83
Inter Nickel Co	28¾
Inspiration Copper	11⅞
I T & T	16⅜
Liquid Carbonic	28½
Lehigh Portland	30⅛
Lone Star Gas	10⅞
Montgomery Ward	54½
N Y C	21⅛
Northern Pacific	19¾
Nash Kelvinator	15⅜
National Dairy	25¼
North Amer Aviation	9
Ohio Oil	17¾
P R R	31⅝
Pennroad	5⅞
Phillips Petrol	44¾
Packard Motors	5¼
Pepsi Cola	66
Pullman Co	48⅝
Pub Serv of N J	16⅛
Phelps Dodge	25⅛
R K O	9¼
Republic Steel Corp	18¾
Radio Corp	10⅝
Rem Rand	22
Reynolds Tob Co "B"	32¼
Soony Vacuum	13⅜
Sperry Corp	27⅜
Std Oil of N J	55½
Std Oil of Cal	37¼
Std Oil of Indiana	33½
Studebaker	18⅝
Sears Roebuck	102⅛
Standard Brands	28½
Simmons Co	33⅝
Texas Corp	48½
Tid Wat O	16⅛
U S Steel	58¾
Union Car & Car	79½
United Air	29⅜
United Corp	1⅛
United Gas Imp	13¼
Vanadium Corp	20
Westinghouse Brk	31⅛
Warner Bros	13½
Westinghouse Elec	115⅞
Woolworth Co	42¼
Young Sheet & T	39

PRODUCE

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Eggs: Jobbing prices to retailers in 30 dozen cases:

Grade A & AA ex lg 60-6040; lg 58-5840; med 5340-5440; grade B lg 5960-60; grade C 4460; dirties and checks 32; current receipts 4360.

Government grade and sealed eggs in cartons: Grade A ex lg 60; grade A lg 58.

Cabbage: Steady. Pa. 50 lb sacks Danish type 135-150; S. C. domestic round type 290-3.

Potatoes: Steady. U. S. No. 1 100 lb sacks unwashed Me. Katahdins 3-310; 50 lb paper sacks 150; 15 lb paper sacks 50; Idaho Russet Burbanks 100 lb sacks 415-418.

Tomatoes: Steady. Texas lug boxes green and turning, wrapped U. S. No. 1 6x6 pack and larger 6-625, 6x7 pack 526; Ohio hothouse 8 lb baskets med 265, lg 240.

LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Cattle: 100, steady. Steers, gd-ch, 1650-1750; med-gd, 14-16; com-med, 12-14; grass steers, 9-1550; heifers, gd-ch, 1450-15; med-gd, 12-1450; com-med, 850-12; cows, gd-ch, 10-11; med-gd, 850-950; canners and cutters, 4-7; bulls, gd-ch, 11-12; com-med, 650-950.

Hogs: 100. Market steady. 160-180 lbs., 1450-1480; 180-200 lbs., 1480-1490; 200-220 lbs., 1480-1490, 220-250 lbs., 1475-1490; 250-300 lbs., 1440-1475; 300-350 lbs., 14-1440; 100-150 lbs., 1225-1375; roughs, 1275-1375.

Sheep: 50, steady. Ch lambs, 1350-1450; med-gd, 1150-1250; com lambs 5-7; ewes, 2-450; wethers, 2-450.

Calves: 50, steady. Gd-ch, 17-18; med, 13-14; culls and common, 5-9.

YANK MPs SEARCH CAPTURED NAZIS FOR WEAPONS



LINED UP IN A COURTYARD in Sarrebourg, near Strasbourg, a number of Nazi captives are searched by American military policemen while others in the background await their turn. The Yanks were making certain that the prisoners did not possess knives, scissors, nail files, mirrors, or other sharp instruments. This is an official U. S. Army Signal Corps photo. *(International Soundphoto)*

WRECKED NAZI VEHICLES LINE ROAD TO STRASBOURG



THIS PATROL of the U. S. Seventh Army passes by wrecked German vehicles as they walk through mud and rain-soaked forest near Strasbourg, France, where American and French forces have driven up to the banks of the Rhine river. *(International Soundphoto)*

Many Problems To Come Before GNCA Directors

Many problems of civic importance will be discussed tonight in The Castleton hotel when the Board of Directors of the Greater New Castle Association will meet.

The acquisition of property on Mahoning avenue is the first matter on the agenda. The matter of a new railroad station for the city advanced another step when it was announced that P. E. Feucht, divisional superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Cleveland, O., and other officials of the company will meet with a GNCA committee in January. This meeting will be discussed tonight.

The formation of a unit of the Junior Chamber of Commerce as a division of the GNCA will be considered.

The plans for the community Christmas party for the veterans at Deshon Annex will be outlined. A report on the acquisition of McConnell's Mills as a public park will be outlined by Thomas H. Hartman under a report of the Sixth War Loan campaign made.

Under new business will come a request from the Lawrence County Medical Society that the association oppose the proposed socialized medicine bill which is before congress, the mail carriers have asked favorable action on the present proposal to raise salaries, a request from the New Castle School Board that the night of the board meeting be changed in order not to conflict with the school board meeting and an invitation to affiliate with the Youngstown Traffic Bureau considered.

SANTA CLAUS EARLY

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Santa Claus made an early delivery today to 28 employes of the Duquesne Light Company's power station on Brunot Island.

The company paid the men a total of about $3,000, which had been lost to two holdup men who took the money from a pair of employes just returning from cashing payroll checks on the North Side.

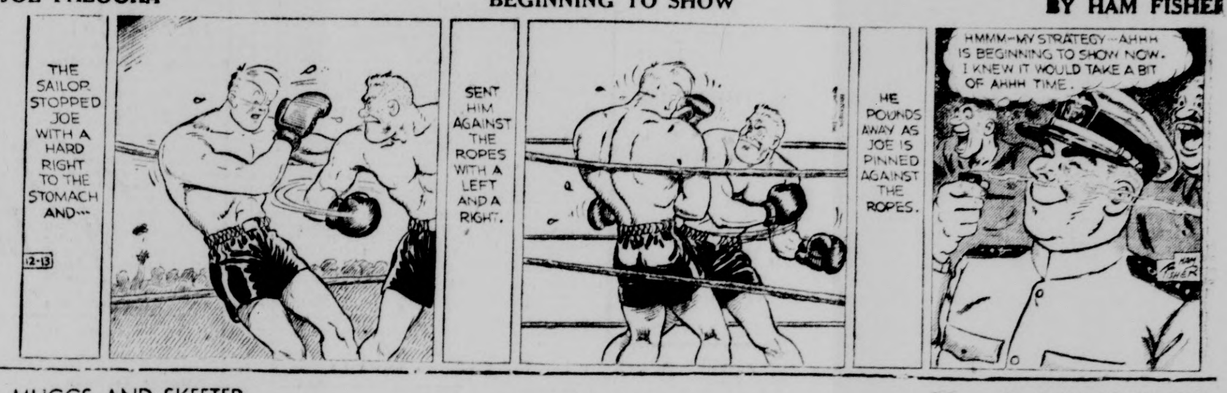
Ancient Egyptian physicians, two thousand years before the birth of Christ, felt the pulse of their patients.



BLONDIE — A TOTEM POLE SPECIAL — BY CHIC YOUNG



JOE PALOOKA — BEGINNING TO SHOW — BY HAM FISHER



MUGGS AND SKEETER — By WALLY BISHOP



BRICK BRADFORD—And the Queen of Night — By WILLIAM RITT and CLARENCE GRAY



DICK TRACY — WATCHFUL WAITER — BY CHESTER GOULD



THE OLD HOME TOWN — By STANLEY



FELIX THE CAT — A THROW-AWAY!



LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE — BY HAROLD GRAY



BRINGING UP FATHER — BY GEORGE McMANUS



THE GUMPS — IN THE SLIME-LIGHT — BY GUS EDSON



PORTABLE BOX CREATES 'FOG' FOR TROOPS USE

Smoke Maker Reported That Blots Out Five-Mile Area If Necessary

SCHENECTADY—(INS)—A portable generator for use on jungle trials, mountain passes and beachheads is the newest smoke-screening device developed by the chemical warfare service.

Small enough to be carried in the back seat of a jeep or other similar craft, when in use it can be concealed behind a bush or in a dugout. With favorable wind conditions this midget fog machine can blot out an area five miles long and about 200 yards wide.

Small, Easy to Handle

Known as the M-2 smoke generator or the Besler, the device is no larger than a soldier's foot locker and weighs only 180 pounds when empty. It is about 1-20th as bulky as the army's large M-1 smoke generator, the principle of which was developed in General Electric's research laboratory by Dr. Irving Langmuir and Vincent J. Schaefer.

The M-1 machine, truck or trailer driven, protected allied troops from aerial attacks during the invasions of North Africa, Sicily and Italy.

The foxhole fog generator will not make the M-1 obsolete. While the small generator moves into the front lines, producing half as much smoke as its big brother, the larger machine will continue to send clouds of milk-white smoke around airfields, seaports, cities and permanent large installations.

Smokes in 40 Seconds

The new generator, 34 inches long, 23 inches high and 20 inches wide, when equipped with sliding handles can also be carried in stretcher fashion by two men. The device consists of a miniature metal boiler, an air blower and a small gear pump, all operated by a one-cylinder gasoline motor made of aluminum. It can smoke in 40 seconds from a cold start.

The pump forces a mixture of fog oil and water through a series of spiral coils inside the boiler, where a small gasoline burner heats the liquid. The oil-and-water mixture vaporizes inside the heating coils and emerges from four small vents on a T-shaped outlet valvet at the front of the boiler, then condensing into a snow-white steam. The blower is used to drive air for combustion into the torch-like burner.

Will Work For Hour

The hollow base of the machine holds tanks for enough water and gasoline for more than an hour of operation. The fog oil is drawn into the generator from oil drums or five-gallon "blitz" cans by means of a short rubber hose.

Consuming 50 gallons of fog oil per hour, the foxhole generator also uses about five gallons of gasoline and five gallons of water during that period. It is completely automatic in operation, and there are no gages to match.

The smoke is not harmful and is of no discomfort to troops.

Plan Conference On Labor Legislation

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—State CIO and AFL leaders were making final arrangements today for one-day conferences at Harrisburg next week to outline proposed legislation for presentation to the General Assembly during the 1945 session.

Between 50 and 100 CIO representatives were expected to attend the meeting called by the Pennsylvania Industrial Union Council for December 18, President John A. Phillips reported. The PIUC claims 350,000 members.

The Pennsylvania Federation of Labor (AFL), slated to meet December 19, has pledged "constructive programs for the coming legislative session," according to President James L. McDevitt.

Victor N. Cabas Is Promoted To Major

(Special To The News)

A NINTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER-BOMBER BASE, Belgium—Victor N. Cabas, New Castle P-47 Thunderbolt pilot credited with five and a half German planes, has been promoted from the rank of captain to that of major.

Major Cabas flew with the RAF from January, 1941, to September, 1942, before joining the U. S. Air Force while still serving in England. He is the son of Louis J. Cabas, 412 Long avenue, New Castle, and attended Mt. Union College, Alliance, Ohio.

In making writing paper, the fibers are treated with water-resistant substances such as rosin and gelatine.

Would Boost Pay Of President And Congress Members

Measure Would Give President $100,000 Yearly And Congressmen $15,000

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Members of Congress were asked to increase the annual salary of the President from $75,000 to $100,000 and to boost their own pay checks by $5,000 a year.

Pay increases for other federal officials were provided as follows in a bill introduced by Rep. Vinson (D) Ga., chairman of the House naval affairs committee:

President, $75,000 to $100,000; vice president, $15,000 to $20,000; cabinet members, $15,000 to $20,000; House speaker, $15,000 to $20,000; members of Congress, $10,00 to $15,000.

Vinson said the President's salary was last raised in 1909 from $50,000 to $75,000.

"When federal and state taxes are deducted, the President of the United States actually gets less than $27,000 at the present time," he asserted.

Congressmen receive $7,500 when taxes are deducted, he added.

Vinson complained that the President receives less than Frank Sinatra and other public personages.

Congressmen, he said, have not had a pay increase since 1925, when their $7,500 a year was boosted to $10,000.

Secretary Horst Warns Farmers

More Efficient Production And Marketing To Be Required In Postwar Period

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Pennsylvania farmers had a warning from Agriculture Secretary Miles Horst today that "more efficient production and marketing" would be required in the postwar period.

"Wartime technological developments, applied to farm machinery and equipment, may revolutionize some phases of production, marketing and distribution," Horst told 1000 members of the Pennsylvania State Grange at the opening of the 72nd annual three-day convention in Harrisburg.

"Many postwar problems can and will be met by farmers as individuals," Horst declared. "Some will require cooperation of established governmental agencies and the assistance of our research and educational institutions and services."

He urged "sound production programs" for every farm unit and warned that the loss of markets close to farms could result in disaster for Pennsylvania agriculture.

Secretary of Highways John U. Shroyer was slated to address the delegates at today's session and an election and installation of officers will highlight the closing meetings tomorrow.

Kenzie S. Bagshaw, of Hollidaysburg, is grange master; O. Walker Shannon, of Hookstown, lecturer; and J. K. Mahoof, of Troy, secretary. Members of the executive committee were Albert E. Madigan, Towanda; C. M. Davidson, Grove City; and M. C. Stewart, Homer City.

Missionaries Back From Canadian Tour

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick A. Smith and two children, Elenita and Carol have just arrived in New Castle concluding a 15 week missionary tour. The tour which covered 8000 miles took the missionary family over a vast part of Western Canada.

During the itinerary, Rev. Smith showed colored slide pictures of his work in Colombia, South America, which field he is laboring on under the Christian Missionary Alliance Board of New York City. The missionary couple were privileged to visit various grade and high schools in Canada where they showed their curios and native Indian costmues of Colombia, with teachers and principals showing keen interest.

The tour took Mr. Smith as fas as 200 miles north of the railroads in Saskatchewan to the Indian Mission Station of Churchill lake where he presented the Gospel to Cree and Chipewa Indians, traveling by river scow and outboard motor canoe in that pioneer country.

This was followed by a visit through the rich Peace River country as far north as Fort St. John on the famed Alaskan highway. The family was well impressed with the monumental work of Uncle Sam's forces which links the United States by this splendid broad highway. The Smith's report enjoying the tour with the wholesome, generous-hearted settlers of Western Canada.

They spent two weeks at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., for a checkup, and the older child underwent an operation.

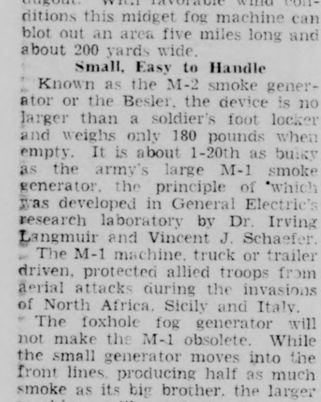
Mrs. Smith, with the two children plans to remain in New Castle during the winter months while Rev. Smith will continue his missionary work with a tour of the west coast including, California, Washington and Oregon states. Mrs. Smith nee Della Collins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Collins of 411 Epworth street.

FIRE IN APARTMENT

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Routing dozens of apartment dwellers from their beds into freezing cold, a four-alarm fire today caused $15,000 damage to a furniture store and a liquor store basement.

Three tenants were treated at a hospital for smoke inhalation.

Police claimed about 30 persons fled from the two three-story buildings.



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Logwood Dyed Mouton Lamb in 7/8 length tuxedo style with turnback cuffs. $195.00

Persian Paw box type full length coat with jonny collar. $188.00

Gray Dyed Indian Lamb Shortie fitted coats with full flare skirt—turnback cuffs. $188.00

Mink Dyed Northern Muskrat full length tuxedo with turnback cuffs $188.00

Sable Dyed Northern Back Muskrat full length tuxedos with turnback cuffs. $253.00

Sable Dyed Northern Back Muskrat full length tuxedos with turnback cuffs. $300.00

Ombre Dyed Jersey Muskrat full length tuxedos with turnback cuffs. $359.00

Polo Wolf Shortie $188.00

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Furs—Second Floor









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Toiletries—Main Floor

NEW CASTLE STORE

Navy Recruiting For Chaplain Corps

Attempting to take care of the growing demand for chaplains, Lt. Clinton Wunder, Chaplain Corps, USN, is in Pittsburgh this week to recruit qualified ministers for the Navy.

Over 400 are needed before January 1, according to an announcement from the naval procurement office in Pittsburgh. A candidate for the Navy chaplaincy must be a citizen of the United States and a fully ordained clergyman serving in the active ministry, although a student in the seminary may apply three months before his graduation. The usual Navy physical examination must be passed, but there are certain waivers which apply to chaplains.

Henry I of England established a fortress at the French town of Verneuil, north of the Loire river, and made it a center of English power.

CHEWTON

Pfc. William Brown, attached to the U. S. Medical Corps, Camp Barkley, Texas, is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Major Walter L. Landgraf, of Pittsburgh, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Durbin Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Badger entertained a few friends at their home on Thursday evening in honor of the 4th birthday of their son, Dicky, and the first birthday of their daughter, Lana Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Durbin were visitors at the home of William Smith of East Liverpool, Ohio, on Saturday.

Mrs. Esther K. Murphy, of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Conner, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hennon and daughters, of Chewton, and Miss Nora Ritchie and John Ritchie, of Ellwood City, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C Yoho on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Douthitt and Cpl. Joseph J. Douthitt attended the funeral of J. Leight, of Big Beaver township, on Thursday.

VALUABLE SPECIMENS

The Dunedin national museum of New Zealand has two rare and perfect specimens of moa eggs. These large, flightless birds, resembling the ostrich, only larger and confined to New Zealand, are thought to have become extinct more than 500 years ago.